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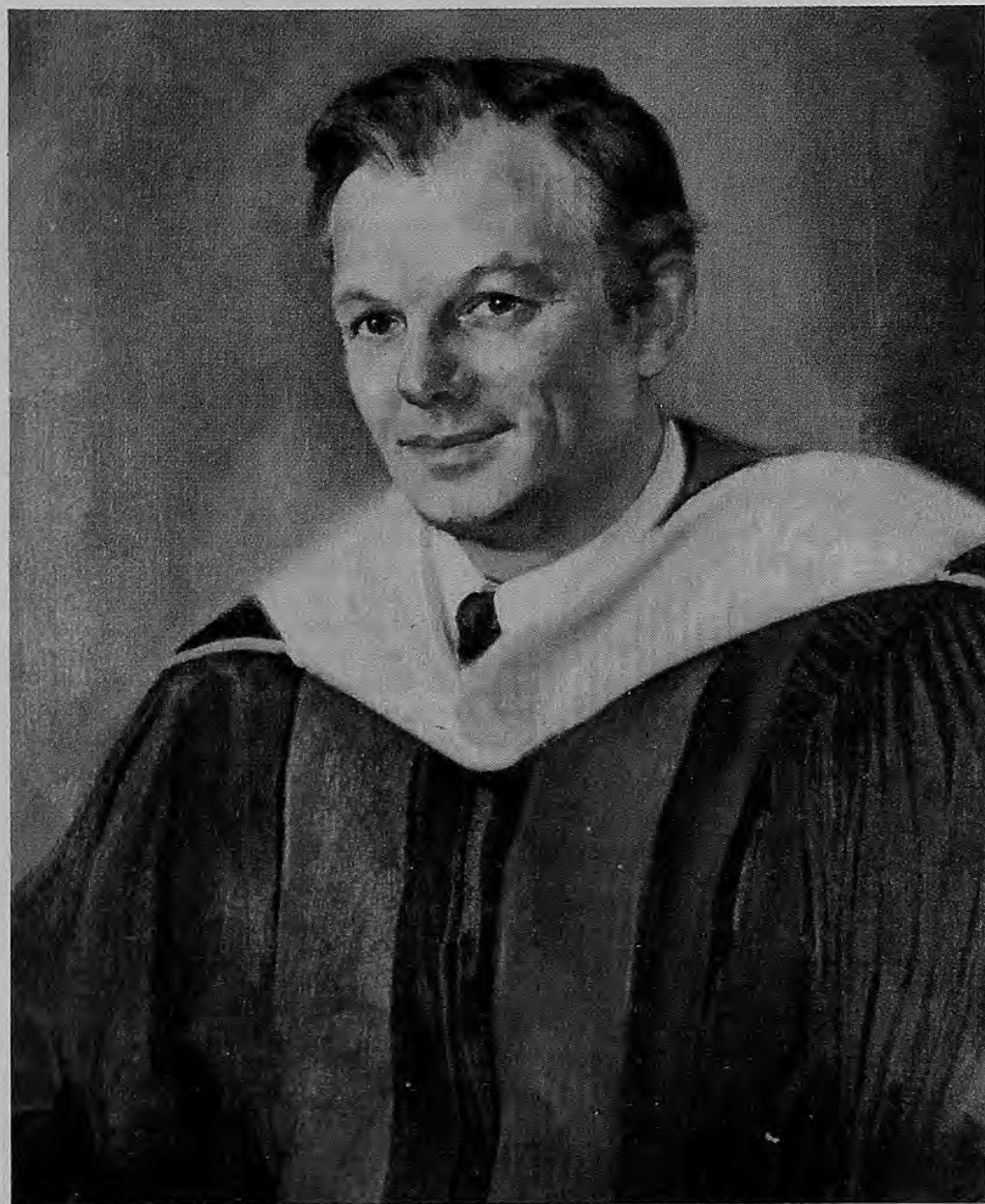
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Calvin Anthony VanderWerf
1917-1988

Eighth President

College Mourns Death Of Calvin VanderWerf

Dr. Calvin A. VanderWerf, president of Hope College from 1963-70, died Monday, July 18 at Alachua General Hospital in Gainesville, Fla. where he had been a patient since suffering a cardiac arrest on June 19.

Dr. VanderWerf, 71, was a noted and accomplished science educator, researcher, lecturer, writer and humanitarian.

He was inaugurated the eighth president of Hope College, his undergraduate alma mater, on Nov. 16, 1963. He left Hope on July 31, 1970 and a year later became Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Florida in Gainesville. Even after his retirement from administrative duties at the Florida school, he remained an active member of the university's chemistry teaching faculty.

A memorial service was held Sunday, July 24, in Dimnent Memorial Chapel on the Hope College campus.

In 1981 the physics-mathematics building at Hope College was named in honor of Dr. VanderWerf's service to his alma mater.

Dr. VanderWerf was president during one of the most difficult times on American campuses. In 1969, he noted that "our Hope students are as deeply interested in and as passionately concerned over the burning social and moral issues of our day as students anywhere. At the same time, they are also intelligent, responsible, responsive, earnest and committed."

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Dr. VanderWerf, in reflecting on his presidency, noted that the decade of the '60s "was a dynamic period of transition and growth in the life of Hope College."

The excellence associated with the college's academic programs today are to a great extent the result of his work. Hope College had an energetic building program during the VanderWerf presidency that included construction of the DeWitt Student and Cultural Center, the Peale Science Center, an addition to the Nykerk Hall of Music and two residence halls.

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From the editor

This edition of news from Hope College is truly the result of a team effort. Each issue requires the coordinated efforts of many persons — staff, student assistants, suppliers of services. Publication of this six-times-a-year tabloid is the primary responsibility of Eva Dean '83 Folkert. The process of producing our August issue was interrupted by the June 12, 1988 arrival of Peter Dean Folkert, the first child of Eva and Cal Folkert '81. Mom, son and dad are doing fine. Your editor is barely getting by, however. I appreciate the work of Dick Hoekstra '84 who joined our staff during Eva's leave. Dick was a member of our staff as a student so he very capably handled many of Eva's duties. I was also blessed with the outstanding assistance from Sue Christian '88 and Mary Taylor '89 who contributed several of this issue's articles. Thank you all! Hurry back, Eva!!

T.R.

CAMPUS NOTES

OUTSTANDING BOOK: *On Moral Medicine: Theological Perspectives in Medical Ethics*, a text edited by Hope College professor Dr. Allen Verhey and colleague Dr. Stephen Lammers of Lafayette College, has been selected as an Outstanding Academic Book of the Year by *Choice* magazine.

Chosen under the health sciences category on *Choice's* 24th annual list, the book was praised by the magazine in its June issue as "brilliant", bringing together an extended wealth of historic, philosophic, and cogent modern discussions on the central ethical issues of health care.

According to *Choice* magazine, a monthly publication produced by the American Library Association, the selection criteria for the Outstanding Academic Book list include the importance of work compared with other literature in the field; whether the material is the first of its kind published in book form or is otherwise unique or definitive; whether the work is of value to undergraduate students; and whether it is essential in building library collections.

"The *Choice* editors develop this list as a service to academic librarians to assist them in their collection development efforts by bringing notice to the outstanding scholarly publications of the prior year," the magazine said.

A collection of 105 essays and excerpts by a variety of Christian theologians, *On Moral Medicine* was published by Eerdmans Publishing Co. of Grand Rapids Mich. in 1987. It deals with such topics as life and its sanctity, health and healing, and care and respect, to name a few.

Also an expert on the ethics of the New Testament, John Calvin, and the Heidelberg Catechism, Dr. Verhey has been a member of the Hope faculty since 1975. He is the author of two other books — *The Great Reversal: Ethics in the New Testament* (Eerdmans: 1984) and *Living the Heidelberg: The Heidelberg Catechism and the Moral Life* (Christian Reformed Publishing House: 1986).

INTERNATIONAL LECTURER:

Dr. James Gentile, the Kenneth G. Herrick professor of biology and dean for the natural sciences at Hope, was recently a guest lecturer at the Universidad Nacional Autonoma De Mexico. He addressed course participants on the theme "Cancer, Genetics and Chemotherapy." A specialist on environmental carcinogenesis and new genetic technologies, Gentile was the only American lecturer at the conference.

Approximately 150 course participants from Mexico attended the conference to hear specialists like Gentile and other speakers from Mexico, Scotland, Cuba, and Hungary.

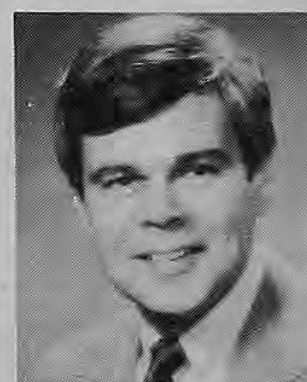
Gentile, a member of the Hope faculty since 1976, is a frequent speaker on the international circuit. He has presented lectures on environmental mutagens and genetics at about 12 countries. He is also a member of the technical review panel for the toxicology testing program of the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences and an advisor on medical research for the World Health Organization.



James Gentile



George Ralph



Allen Verhey

NEW DUTIES: Dr. James R. Bekkering, dean for admissions at Hope since 1980, has assumed the added responsibilities as dean for student development on an interim basis, according to President John H. Jacobson.

Dr. Bekkering will fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. Philip Beal who served as dean for student development since 1986. Dr. Beal and his wife, Kathleen, have accepted a two-year missionary assignment to serve as counselors beginning in the fall at the Anglo-Chinese High School for Boys, a school of the United Methodist Church in Singapore.

"I am very pleased that Dr. Bekkering has consented to assume this additional responsibility," said Dr. Jacobson. "He is well known and highly respected for his work in admissions and has the personal qualities and professional qualifications that are needed to succeed in this assignment."

Dr. Bekkering has a substantial background in the student development area. Prior to joining the Hope staff he was a member of administration at Lake Michigan College (LMC) in Benton Harbor, Mich. where his responsibilities included serving as Dean of Student Services. Prior to joining the Hope staff he had served as Dean of Instruction at LMC.

A 1965 Hope graduate, Dr. Bekkering served on the Hope admissions, financial aid and placement office staffs from 1965-69.

A native of Fremont, Mich. he received his master's degree in student personnel administration and his doctorate in higher education administration, both from Michigan State University.

TOP HONORS: Hope College students captured first place honors in the 12th annual Lower Michigan Collegiate Mathematics Competition.

The three Hope students topped a field of 24 teams from colleges and universities throughout lower Michigan. The students tackled 10 mathematics problems in a three-hour-long test.

The Hope students, all recent graduates, are Douglas Van Wieren of Holland, Mich., Brent Kreider of Beloit, Wisc., and Paul Harper of Zanesville, Ohio. Each of these students will be attending graduate school in the fall. Van Wieren, will attend the University of Michigan graduate school in mathematics, Kreider will enroll at the University of Wisconsin graduate school in economics, and Harper will attend the Princeton University graduate school in physics.

POETIC EXCELLENCE: George Ralph, professor of theatre, has been named a winner in an international poetry competition sponsored by the Modern Haiku Association of Tokyo, Japan.

Held to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the association, this international contest drew entries in several languages from countries covering all six continents of the world.

Ralph is one of 18 poets to receive prizes. Winning entries were selected by a panel of judges which included former Prime Minister of Japan Yasuhiro Nakasone.

Haiku, a centuries-old type of Japanese verse, has in recent decades become increasingly popular internationally. Ralph has been experimenting with haiku and such related Japanese poetic forms as senryu, tanka, renga and haibun for the past four years. His haiku have previously won awards from the American Association of Haikuists, The Pennsylvania Poetry Society and *Dragonfly* magazine.

GRANT SUPPORT: A \$30,000 Focus Grant from the GTE Foundation supported a summer program designed to attract minority high school students to careers in science and mathematics.

The grant supplemented the college's on-going Upward Bound program which has been providing academic and cultural opportunities for promising students in grades 8-12 for the past two decades.

GTE established the Focus Program in 1982 to address the need to prepare undergraduate minority students for careers in scientific and engineering fields.

The Upward Bound program at Hope, which draws from students from throughout southwestern Michigan, is directed by Elizabeth Colburn. The science and mathematics component supported by the GTE Focus Grant is directed by Dr. Donald Cronkite, professor of biology.

"In addition to strengthening students' academic skills, our goals included increasing student confidence about science, exposing them and their parents to the human face of science, and developing the trust and understanding of scientists at Hope College and people in the local minority communities for each other," said Cronkite.

"The important component of this program was its meaningful connection between Hope College science and the minority communities of the area during students' high school years when they are forming their aspirations and seeking out the best way to their goals," he said.



Donald Baird



Robert Cline



Philip Miller



Kathleen Rudy



Peter Semeyn



Theresa Staal



George Zuidema

Seven elected to Board of Trustees

Seven new members have been elected to the Board of Trustees, according to President John H. Jacobson. Elected to four-year terms were Rev. Donald Baird '55 of Canajoharie, N.Y.; Philip Miller '65 of Holland, Mich.; Kathleen Ver Meulen Rudy '53 of Cos Cob, Conn.; Rev. Peter Semeyn '73 of Downers Grove, Ill.; Theresa Staal '49 of Grandville, Mich.; and Dr. George Zuidema '49 of Ann Arbor, Mich.

Elected to a two-year term as the faculty representative was Dr. Robert J. Cline, professor of economics and chairperson of the department of economics and business administration.

Baird is pastor of the Reformed Church of Canajoharie, N.Y., and recently completed terms as president of the Synod of Albany and the Classis of Montgomery. He also serves locally on the Board of Education AIDS Advisory Committee, the Montgomery County Association for Retarded Children Neighborhood Advisory Committee, an Ad Hoc Committee for the improvement of Canajoharie, and various

synod-related committees. Baird recently traveled with 82 Christians to the U.S.S.R. to celebrate the millenium of Christianity in that nation.

Miller is executive vice president of the Howard Miller Clock Company of Zeeland, Mich. He is a board member of Bethany Christian Services of Grand Rapids, Mich., as well as Love, Inc., of Holland, Mich. Miller is also a member of the consistory at Christ Memorial Reformed Church of Holland, and is a past president of the National Association of Housewares Manufacturers of Chicago, Ill.

Kate Rudy serves as director of the Greenwich, Conn., Committee for Human Services and of Neighbor to Neighbor. She is a member of the Mary Fund Committee and of the Greenwich Bible Study Committee. Rudy is also a sustainer of the Junior League of Greenwich and a partner in the Antique Shop in New Canaan, Conn.

Semeyn is administrative pastor of Christ Church of Oak Brook, Ill. Semeyn formerly served at Hope as assistant chaplain

(1977-81) and as an assistant football coach (1974-77).

Staal is a former history and government teacher at Wyoming, Mich., Godwin Heights High School, and consultant for Kent County Intermediate Schools. She was chairman of the board and owner of Newman A. V. Communications, which she sold in 1987. Staal has been a member of Central Reformed Church and Women's City Club of Grand Rapids, Mich., the advisory board of the Salvation Army, and the Committee of 200 (National Women Business Owners), as well as the steering committee for The Campaign For Hope and the advisory committee for the Business and Economics Department at Hope. She also is a former state president and national chairman in the Business and Professional Women's Federation.

Zuidema is the Vice Provost for Medical Affairs and Professor of Surgery at the University of Michigan. Prior to that, he was Surgeon-in-Chief of Johns Hopkins Hospital of Baltimore, Md., from 1964-84.

He has written or co-authored 21 books and over 260 articles and is a member of over 100 professional societies.

An expert on public finance, money and stabilization, Cline has authored numerous articles on state, federal, and personal income tax systems. From 1984-86, while on a leave of absence from Hope, he served as the Director of the Office of Revenue and Tax Analysis for the Department of Management and Budget of the State of Michigan. Cline was voted the H.O.P.E. or outstanding professor-educator award by Hope seniors in 1982.

Re-elected to four-year terms were Jon Hanson of Far Hills, N.J.; Marian Hughes of Albany, N.Y.; Dr. Richard Kruijsenga '52 of New York, N.Y.; Rev. James Neevel '56 of Wappinger Falls, N.Y.; and Arvella Schuller of Orange, Calif. Board of trustee officers for 1988-89 are: Max DePree '48 of Zeeland, Mich., chairman; Rev. Jay Weener '49 of Grand Rapids, Mich., vice chairman; and Max D. Boersma '46 of Grand Rapids, Mich., secretary.



Quote, unquote is an eclectic sampling of things being said at and about Hope College.

Because the "journey of faith" has so many components, I will focus on those persons, books, ideas and events most influential in shaping my understanding of what it means to be a scholar, researcher and teacher.

In retrospect, I see my four years at Hope College as the most transformative period in my life. At Hope I engaged in a reciprocal learning process that involved so many teachers and ideas I cannot credit one as most influential. But I can speak of several and how each one influenced me.

My education first acquired "functional autonomy" in D. Ivan Dykstra's (required) *Introduction to Liberal Arts Education*. D. Ivan's bearded countenance reminded one of an Old Testament prophet, if not God (the Father!) himself: he knew each "frosh" by name, which led to commingled gratitude and "fear and trembling." He awakened my scholarly interests with

his introductions to the "philosophies of" the various disciplines, and many Friday nights found me curled up on the top bunk of my Voorhees Hall room, devouring the readings for another week. He also was the first to discern and affirm my gift for teaching, inviting me to serve as discussion group leader for subsequent generations of "frosh." One of my most cherished books is a collection of his chapel sermons, *Who Am I?* I was also touched, recently, by discovering that after 20 years he still knew me by name, certainly a token of the unique identity we have as Christian!

I learned at Hope that I was able to think — perhaps as well as the persons who wrote our textbooks, and certainly well enough to stimulate my teacher. This self-knowledge was a gift from several teachers who took great patience with me. Jim Reynierse, a superb lecturer and researcher, taught me "History and Systems of Psychology and Learning Theory," and chided me for not expressing in class the ideas I discussed with him privately. There's no doubt in my mind that Jim's enthusiasm for history is one reason for my current enthusiasm, which was reinforced by Howard Gadlin, my dissertation chair at the University of Massachusetts/Amherst. Howard was a "Marxist atheist" who once asked me what a "nice Christian girl like you" was doing in his office. I was there, of

course, because he took my ideas seriously and we agreed on the criteria for respectable scholarship. And his "History and Systems" class was definitely a turning point that silenced my doubt about belonging in graduate school.

I took my college Old and New Testament courses from Elton Bruins, a gentle teacher (and faithful friend) who took great delight in watching a classmate compete with me for the best grades in "Bible content" — it was hard to match all the knowledge I gained in my family, where the Bible was read (often in Dutch) after every meal: a children's story Bible after breakfast, a paraphrased version after lunch, the "real" Bible at dinner. The biblical criticism to which I was exposed in my Bible classes was only mildly threatening compared to my first reading of Erich Fromm's *Escape From Freedom* when I was a sophomore. The idea that a particular theology might be shaped in critical ways by a theologian's personality rather than by Scripture itself was a shocking revelation that left me temporarily immobilized. The important learning was that human scholarship is always affected by the personality of the scholar, an awareness that is now generally explicit in my teaching.

My critical faculties were further enhanced by Bob Palma, an Edinburgh-educated philosophical theologian who

guided me through an independent study in my senior year. He bolstered my self-confidence by asserting that my difficulty in understanding Tillich was due, not to my cognitive deficiency, but to Tillich's obscurity — a radical idea to a Dutch (Calvinist) immigrant raised with a European respect for authority! Bob also taught me to value my education as an end in itself, rather than as a mere means to further education and a career.

Although other teachers influenced me and remain a part of my current friendship and professional network, these are the men who touched me in such a way that my person was changed, making me a better instrument for the work I was called to do.

Dr. Hendrika VandeKemp '71 is associate professor of psychology at Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena, Calif. She wrote in the publication *Theology, News and Notes* (November, 1987) on the theme "persons, books, ideas, events, which have influenced my life."



EVENTS

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Fall Semester (1988)

Friday, Aug. 26 — Residence halls open for new students, 1 p.m.
 Fri.-Mon., Aug. 26-29 — New student orientation
 Monday, Aug. 29 — Residence halls open for returning students
 Tuesday, Aug. 30 — Late registration, 10 a.m.-noon, Maas Auditorium; Classes begin, 8 a.m.; Formal convocation, 7:30 p.m., Dimnent Memorial Chapel
 Monday, Sept. 5 — Labor Day, classes in session
 Friday, Oct. 7 — Fall recess begins, 6 p.m.
 Wednesday, Oct. 12 — Fall recess ends, 8 a.m.
 Saturday, Oct. 15 — Homecoming
 Fri.-Sun., Oct. 28-30 — Parents' Weekend
 Thursday, Nov. 24 — Thanksgiving recess begins, 8 a.m.
 Monday, Nov. 28 — Thanksgiving recess ends, 8 a.m.
 Friday, Dec. 9 — Last day of classes
 Mon.-Fri., Dec. 12-16 — Semester examinations
 Friday, Dec. 16 — Residence halls close, 5 p.m.

Spring Semester (1989)

Sunday, Jan. 8 — Residence halls open, noon
 Monday, Jan. 9 — Registration for new students, 3-5 p.m., Maas Auditorium
 Tuesday, Jan. 10 — Classes begin, 8 a.m.
 Friday, Feb. 10 — Winter recess begins, 6 p.m.
 Wednesday, Feb. 15 — Winter recess ends, 8 a.m.
 Thursday, March 2 — Critical Issues Symposium, classes not in session
 Thursday, March 16 — Spring recess begins, 6 p.m.
 Monday, March 27 — Spring recess ends, 8 a.m.
 Friday, April 28 — May Day, classes dismissed at 12:30 p.m.
 Mon.-Fri., May 1-5 — Semester examinations
 Friday, May 5 — Residence halls close for those not participating in commencement, 5 p.m.
 Saturday, May 6 — Alumni Day
 Sunday, May 7 — Baccalaureate and Commencement; Residence halls close for graduating seniors, 7 p.m.

ALUMNI AND FRIENDS

Hope College Golf Outing — Wednesday, Aug. 24
 Shotgun start at 8:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. at the Holland Country Club.
Community Day — Saturday, Sept. 17
 Community picnic begins at 11 a.m. in the Pine Grove while kickoff for the Hope-Michigan Tech football game is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. The Holland High School band will be marching from the Pine Grove to the stadium.
Homecoming Weekend — Fri.-Sun., Oct. 14-16
 Reunions for the classes of 1979 and 1984 as well as the 11th annual Hope Run-Bike-Swim are planned, the H-Club will honor Otto van der Velde All-Campus award winners of 1961-88 during its luncheon at noon Saturday, and kickoff for the Hope-Kalamazoo football game will be 2 p.m. On Sunday, the 11 a.m. Homecoming worship service will feature the Alumni Chapel Choir.

For more information on these events, contact the Office of Public Relations at (616) 394-7860.

TRADITIONAL EVENTS

Community Day Football Game — Saturday, Sept. 17
The 91st Annual Pull — Friday, Sept. 30
Homecoming 1988 — Friday-Sunday, Oct. 15-17
Nykerk Cup — Saturday, Oct. 29
Parents' Weekend — Friday-Sunday, Oct. 28-30
 For High School Students
Science Day — Thursday, Oct. 20
Arts and Humanities Fair — Thursday, Oct. 27

INSTANT INFORMATION

Hope Sports Hotline — 616-394-7888
Activities Information — 616-394-7363

SUMMER THEATRE



The last few days of summer are upon us and so are the last days of the Hope Summer Repertory Theatre. But there still are a few performances left to be seen through the end of August.

Fiddler on the Roof — Thursday, Aug. 11; Thursday, Aug. 18; Monday, Aug. 22; Thursday, Aug. 25*, Saturday, Aug. 27.
A Midsummer Night's Dream — Tuesday, Aug. 16; Friday, Aug. 26.
Harvey — Saturday, Aug. 13; Tuesday, Aug. 16*, Friday, Aug. 19; Tuesday, Aug. 23*; Thursday, Aug. 25.
Pump Boys and Dinettes — Thursday, Aug. 11*; Saturday, Aug. 13; Thursday, Aug. 18*; Friday, Aug. 19; Tuesday, Aug. 23. Staged in Snow Auditorium of Nykerk Hall. (There will also be performances given at 5:30 p.m. on Aug. 13, 18, 19, and 23)
House of Blue Leaves — Wednesday, Aug. 10; Friday, Aug. 12; Monday, Aug. 15; Wednesday, Aug. 17; Saturday, Aug. 20; Wednesday, Aug. 24.

All plays begin at 8 p.m. except * 2 p.m. matinees. Call (616) 392-1449 for ticket information.

Also

Children's Performance Troupe — Wednesday and Fridays, Aug. 10-24, at 10 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Admission \$3.
Fresh Faces of '88 — Sunday, Aug. 14., 8 p.m. Admission Free.



DE PREE GALLERY

Movers and Shakers: Kinetic Show — Aug. 26-Oct. 16.

An exhibition designed to involve the spectator so each will reevaluate their concept of time and time in the arts.
Power Over Clay: Show From The Detroit Institute of Art — Nov. 4-27. An exhibition by a variety of artists using clay and ceramics as their medium.
Juried Student Show — Dec. 2-16.
 The best of art by Hope students in a variety of mediums will be represented.

Gallery hours: Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m.; Sunday 1-9 p.m.

ADMISSIONS

Visitation Days

For prospective Hope students, including transfers, high school juniors and seniors. Visitations are intended to show students and their parents a typical day in the life of a Hope student. There will be ample opportunities to meet students, faculty, and staff.

Friday, Oct. 14
 Friday, Nov. 4
 Friday, Nov. 18
 Friday, Dec. 2

Football Youth Day

— Saturday, Oct. 1
 Reformed Church senior high youth groups are invited to take a closer look at Hope and attend the Hope-Wabash football game.

New Jersey Plane Trip

— Wednesday, Nov. 2, through Saturday, Nov. 5.
 An opportunity for New Jersey area high school juniors and seniors to visit Hope College. Cost includes round-trip transportation, housing with a current Hope student, meals, and activity pass.

For further information about any Admissions Office event, please call (616) 394-7850, or write: Office of Admissions, Hope College, Holland, MI 49423.

THE ARTS

Student Recital — Thursday, Sept. 29: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m.
Guest Concert — Friday, Sept. 30: Early Music Ensemble, Wichers Auditorium, 8 p.m.
Great Performance Series — Thursday, Oct. 6: Grand Rapids Symphony, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m.
Hope College Wind Ensemble — Tuesday, Oct. 11: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m.
Student Recital — Thursday, Oct. 13: Wichers Auditorium, 7 p.m.
Faculty Chamber Music Recital — Sunday, Oct. 16: Wichers Auditorium, 4 p.m.
Michigan Music Teachers Concert — Sunday, Oct. 23: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, time TBA
Hope College Orchestra — Friday, Oct. 28: with Charles Aschbrenner, pianist, Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m.
Great Performance Series — Thursday, Nov. 3, and Friday, Nov. 4: Theatre Ballet of Canada, DeWitt Center Theatre, 8 p.m.
Faculty Chamber Music Recital — Sunday, Nov. 6: Wichers Auditorium, 4 p.m.
Student Recital — Thursday, Nov. 10: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 7 p.m.
Great Performance Series — Thursday, Nov. 17: Music by Three (violin, piano, and french horn), Wichers Auditorium, 8 p.m.
Faculty Chamber Music Recital — Sunday, Nov. 20: Wichers Auditorium, 4 p.m.
Hope College Wind Ensemble — Tuesday, Nov. 22: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m.
Christmas Vespers — Saturday, Dec. 3, and Sunday, Dec. 4: Dimnent Memorial Chapel, 8 p.m. Saturday, 2, 4:30, and 8 p.m. Sunday
Student Recital — Thursday, Dec. 8: Wichers Auditorium, 7 p.m.

THEATRE

The 1940s Radio Hour by Walton Jones — Oct. 21, 22, 26-29

A musical based on The 1940s Radio Hour program in which music department students as well as theatre students will be involved.

The Firebugs by Max Frisch — Dec. 2, 3, 7-10.

A modern morality play which deals humorously and ironically with a successful businessman's inability to cope with evil.

All plays begin at 8 p.m. Hope theatre tickets are available by calling (616) 394-7890. Adults: \$5; senior citizens: \$4; and students: \$3. Ticket office located in the DeWitt Center foyer. Hours: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. daily except Sunday, two weeks prior to and during a theatre production.

Hope begins 127th academic year

Campus facilities will again be used to their capacity when the 1988-89 school year begins later this month.

The freshman class is expected to number 640 men and women and total enrollment should approach 2,650 students, according to Registrar Jon Huiskens. This year's goal for freshman students was 605.

A year ago the college experienced an unexpected increase in enrollment of about 200 full-time equivalent students. This was due to an extraordinarily large freshman class of 675 students and an improved retention of non-graduating students from previous school year. This increase resulted in a student body of 2,710 which college officials felt over-taxed the residential, dining room and classroom facilities.

"We feel that the current student body size is appropriate for Hope, in that it is large enough to allow great diversity in curricular offerings and yet small enough to foster a

sense of community," said president John Jacobson.

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New students will be arriving on campus a day earlier than in past years as Orientation Weekend has been expanded to three days, Friday through Sunday, Aug. 26-28.

Residence halls for new students will open at 1 p.m. Friday, Aug. 26. Orientation events for parents and new students will begin at 7 p.m. on Friday and continue through Sunday afternoon.

Returning students are not to arrive on campus before Monday, Aug. 29, according to college officials.

Classes will begin at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 30, with the opening convocation for the college's 127th academic year that evening at 7:30 p.m. in Dimnent Memorial Chapel.

Dr. Jacobson, who is beginning his second year as Hope's president, will deliver the

convocation address, entitled "Hope in the Future."

The College will present an honorary Doctor of Letters degree upon Arend D. "Don" Lubbers '53.

Lubbers has been president of Grand Valley State University since 1969. He previously was president of Central College in Pella, Iowa. His father, Irwin J. Lubbers, was president of Hope College from 1945-63.

Lubbers is credited with developing Grand Valley into one of Michigan's leading public universities. In addition to the residential campus in Allendale, a new \$30 million urban center in downtown Grand Rapids, opened during the 1987-88 academic year.

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The executive committee of the Board of Trustees during its July meeting awarded a construction contract to Elzinga and Volkers, Inc. of Holland, Mich. for the renovation of VanderWerf Hall and the



Arend D. Lubbers



President Jacobson

former VanZoeren Library.

The \$4.5 million project will result in the renewal and expansion of facilities needed to enhance major academic departments and student support services. Departments that will benefit from this project include economics and business administration, education, social and social work, computer science, mathematics and physics and the college's academic support center.

When finished, these buildings will be linked with the college's new Van Wylen Library. The project is expected to be finished during the 1989-90 academic year.

New alumni president

After many years of serving Hope College in several different capacities, Sue Bruggink Edema of East Grand Rapids, Mich., has recently been elected the new president of the Hope College Alumni Association. A 1973 graduate, Edema isn't intimidated by the challenge of the position. If anything, she is ready to take on the new responsibility.

"It's an organizational type of position, and I enjoy organizing," comments Edema, who teaches high school completion classes part-time in addition to her active involvement in Hope College activities.

It's not only her own talents that make the job seem manageable, but for Edema, it is the immense support she feels from Hope College personnel that lend to her optimism as well.

"Anything I've ever done for the college has been easy because they are so efficient and helpful," she said. "I guess that's why I always say 'yes' to things!"

"I am proud; it is a real honor to be chosen," adds an appreciative Edema, "especially since there are so many fine people on the Alumni Board."

Serving on the Alumni Board for the past three years and as vice-president for 1987-88, Edema is well qualified for the duties of acting president.

"I see the position as a representative to other alumni and to the administration of Hope College," she said. "Also, I represent Hope College; I am responsible for promoting the college."

As an alumnus, Edema is alive with the spirit of her Hope College days. She has served for 15 years as the Class of 1973 Class Representative for the Alumni Annual Fund, as the Village Square general chairperson in 1986, and on the Grand Rapids Chapter of Women's League for seven years—one of them as president.

As a student at Hope, Edema majored in English. She says she had no trouble deciding on coming to Hope, claiming she never looked at another school. Her younger brother followed her to Holland, graduating in 1978.

Edema married her high school sweetheart, Doug, also a 1973 grad, 10 days



Sue Bruggink Edema

after their Hope College graduation. Married 15 years, they have two children — 10-year-old Beckey and 7-year-old Todd. Shortly after Doug graduated from medical school, the couple moved to East Grand Rapids.

Looking back over her years of involvement with Hope, Edema is keenly aware of the deep influence the college has had upon her.

"You appreciate Hope the farther away you get—when you've had children, or meet people who've gone to different schools and haven't experienced what you have," she said. "It's the people at Hope that make the difference."

Capable and eager, Edema is soon to embark on yet another of her many Hope experiences—and with each experience there comes for Sue Edema a more vivid picture of what the Hope spirit is all about.

"I realize that the farther away I get from the mission statement of the college, the clearer it becomes for what Hope essentially means and is," she said. "I hope to help uphold that mission in my work."

Calvin VanderWerf dies

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Enrollment during his tenure increased approximately 30 percent to 2,060 students while the size of the faculty grew from 82 to 147.

There were many innovations in academic areas including creation of the departments of geology, communication and theatre; establishment of a computer center; offering of a bachelor of music degree; full accreditation by the National Association of Schools of Music; and establishment of a Phi Beta Kappa chapter on the Hope campus.

The structure of the college's governing board was reorganized, including the addition of faculty representatives as voting members.

"Education is not the business of building campuses, but rather the business of building greatness into lives," he said. "A Hope College liberal arts degree is not an end in itself, but the opening of a door to a life of learning and significant living."

Dr. VanderWerf was born in Friesland, Wisc., on Jan. 2, 1917. He moved to Holland, Mich., with his family as a child and graduated from Holland High School.

He graduated from Hope College as valedictorian and commencement orator of the class of 1937. As a Hope student he was student council president and editor of the college newspaper, *the anchor*.

Dr. VanderWerf earned the Ph.D. in chemistry from Ohio State University in 1941 where his thesis work dealt with the chemical structure of cancer-producing compounds. His professional career started at the University of Kansas where he served as professor and later as chairman of the chemistry department (1941-63).

He carried on an active research program in medicinals, organophosphorus compounds, and the nitrogen compounds of petroleum.

While at the University of Florida he was assigned three major challenges: upgrade the faculty, improve teaching and research and bring about the merger of University College and the College of Arts and Sciences. He accomplished all three.

Teaching was always his first love. Even after leaving Hope he returned to Holland as a guest instructor in the college's National Science Foundation summer institute for high school chemistry teachers. He continued an active role in the chemistry department at the University of Florida even after the usual age for retirement. He was many times named the outstanding educator at the University of Kansas and the University of Florida, most recently at the Florida school in 1987.

For over 25 years he served as a director for the Research Corporation, a charitable foundation, and most recently as a consultant to the Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation of New York. He was a member of Sigma Xi, Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Chi. He was the founding chairman of the council of academic affairs of the College Board, secretary-treasurer and chairman of the division of chemical education and a lifelong member of the American Chemical Society.

Dr. VanderWerf is survived by his wife, Rachel Good VanderWerf; six children, Gretchen VanderWerf Jones and Klasina VanderWerf of Boulder, Colo., Julie VanderWerf of Gainesville, Fla., Lisa Hawkins of Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., Dr. Pieter VanderWerf of Boston, Mass., and Marte Singerman of Miami, Fla.; two sisters, Anne VanderWerf Wabeke and Joan VanderWerf Brieve, both of Holland, Mich.; and one grandchild, Allison Hawkins of Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.

Memorial contributions may be made to the VanderWerf Scholarship Fund established by the family at Hope College.



Vibrant Holland vital to Hope's future

by Amy Affleck '88

Morning exchanges places with the last child out the door, scampering to the bus stop. With it comes a day full of errands and deadlines. It is 8 a.m., and the brilliant autumn foliage illuminates a mist covered Macatawa Bay.

Paved paths bordering the shore's edge invite a brisk two-mile walk which justifies 9 a.m. apple strudel and coffee at the downtown bakery. Morning quickly dissolves, allowing enough time for a basket-weaving class at the Arts Council, and the arrangement of vacation plans at the travel bureau.

Sounds of a local jazz ensemble performing in a nearby park entice business people and shoppers to enjoy lunch in the noontime sun. With errands completed and deadlines met, it is time for home, after a productive day in downtown Holland.

The above picture is painted with the optimistic hues of many individuals devoted to urban renewal in Holland, Mich. Throughout the past decade, urban development has subtly permeated this traditionally Dutch community, fostering a current crusade for a restored downtown area.

The city of Holland is one of hundreds throughout the country rediscovering economic vitality and historic value in its downtown district. The Nov. 23 issue of *Time* magazine featured this widespread phenomenon. Somewhere along the line Americans have begun to appreciate, rather than abandon, their heritage-laced downtowns.

"Almost every city, down to the third-tier—places like Dayton and Toledo—has done something. It is not a fad. It is a demographic phenomenon. The 1980s have been the decade of the cities revival," says Northwestern University urbanologist Louis Masott.

Cities blessed with high employment and booming industry are the most likely candidates for community development. Holland certainly qualifies as a city hosting two large industrial parks, home of Beech-Nut Lifesaver Inc., Donnelly, Inc., Haworth, Prince Corp. and the like. The real estate market has enjoyed several years of non-stop growth, and a \$25 million West Shore Mall on the northside of town is scheduled to open this fall.

Who might be more pleased with Holland's prosperity than its 23-year-old mayor, Philip Tanis '87, who represents vitality and change himself. In particular, the mayor views the downtown, Hope College, and its neighbors as a "portrait of the community." This triangular scope embodies the essence of Holland's most recent developments.

Revitalizing downtown Holland means a great deal to Hope College, too, says President John H. Jacobson.

"The vitality of Holland's downtown area is of the utmost importance to the future of Hope College," states the president. "The quality of this area has a direct bearing on the quality of life for our students."

And because of the campus' proximity to the downtown district, Hope College trustees authorized the purchase of the Holland Theatre on Eighth Street, now

redubbed the Knickerbocker Theatre. The facility will be used for college and community events. Its purchase was made possible in part by a gift from an anonymous donor.

In 1977, the National Trust for Historic Preservation launched a pilot program to develop a comprehensive strategy encompassing economic revitalization and historic preservation on downtown main streets. A successful plan was finalized after three years, which has guided many projects since. In the spring of 1984, Holland was invited to join nearly 150 main street communities in the national program.

Since then, "Main Street Holland" has been formally established by the city in conjunction with the Michigan Commerce Department and National Main Street Center. The project targets a merchant-packed Eighth Street from River to Lincoln Avenues. Its complete scope extends from Lincoln to Pine Avenues, and from Sixth to Ninth Streets. Ninth Street borders Hope College, while Sixth Street meets the outer edges of downtown parking.

"Main Street Holland" should cultivate a blend of downtown interests within these parameters. Upgraded architectural plans, a balanced retail mix, and an upbeat promotional campaign facilitate the total "image" downtown hopes to project. The new image incorporates pleasant aesthetic surroundings, convenience, and an atmosphere in which people work together to improve and maintain the area.

The merchants recognize a target marketing approach as the key to continued prosperity, considering the up-and-coming \$25 million West Shore Mall.

"Our figures show us that households earning above \$35,000 and \$40,000 will be increasing in the years ahead. Upper income and specialty uses might be our primary emphasis," commented Greg Robinson, "Main Street Holland" project manager.

Within the scope and purpose of "Main Street Holland" exists a strategic marketing move. Amidst the ever-growing industrial parks and 400,000-square-foot shopping mall, the downtown is calling attention to itself through "Streetscape." The original turn-of-the-century character embodied in the downtown architectural style is becoming further enhanced through this \$3.1 million street restoration project.

A nostalgic flair will adorn Eighth Street as shoppers stroll under antique-style lamps, over brick-cross walks, and along side old-fashioned benches, water fountains and kiosks. New sidewalks, repaved streets, and bus shelters will also contribute to the beautification project.

"Streetscape" will most likely include a two-way traffic system, although it has not yet been approved. Currently, traffic automatically bypasses the core downtown district when entering the city from the east since Eighth Street is a one-way system running west. Shoppers should feel welcome, as if invited to enter the area, according to "Main Street Holland" objectives. A two-way system is the logical solution.

"Streetscape" began shortly after Tulip Time in early May with an estimated completion date of mid-November. It will

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cover Eighth Street from Pine to Lincoln Avenues, expanding north and south as far as Seventh and Tenth Street. Both Hope College and nearby City Hall will taste its effects, drawing students and citizens to its attractive setting.

Various buildings have taken on an elaborate renovated style. Expertly hand-carved wood moldings painted a rich cream color, surrounding solid oak doors with etched oval panes, attract even the most removed passers-by. Such exquisite renovation is only fitting for the long awaited Holland Area Arts Council now on Eighth Street. An anonymous donor funded all renovation, a three-year lease, and means for a council director from Fargo, Minn.

A bike race, a Heinz pickle festival, coupon days, and carolers during the Christmas season are promotional ideas Robinson hopes to implement. Throughout construction of "Streetscape," plank performers in the form of mimes and singers serve to distract from the dust and noise. The sidewalks or streets are always available to shoppers, and construction never surrounds more than a block at once.

Obviously, "Main Street Holland" is an extensive restoration project, requiring city and federal aide. However, it covers only the Downtown District Authority area, within the previously mentioned borders. Beyond this exists a complex plan including the entire downtown and its surroundings, backed by a group of "overall en-visionaries."

The Riverview Advisory Committee, made up of 11 prominent business leaders, envisions renovation covering 100 acres of land by the Macatawa waterfront near downtown and possibly 15 years of commitment. Two men have volunteered their time, masterminding a city plan quintessential to superior urban growth. Dr. Gordon J. Van Wylen, former Hope College president, and Thomas D. Wolterink '63, the former vice president of facilities and management at Herman Miller Inc., have led the Riverview Advisory consortium over the past nine months. The area's tremendous potential, fused with a set of well-organized plans, create motivation which breeds their strong dedication.

William Johnson and Associates of Ann Arbor, Mich., along with other land-use planners, developed a focal point essential to the projects advancement. Central to progress is a "vision," consisting of several main objectives.

The central city will be "destination-oriented." The downtown should be a place where people may arrange specific plans to stay awhile. As in the opening scenario, the area should offer a variety of services, including a place to eat, sleep, shop, work, or simply recreate.

Entering from any direction, the visitor should notice an atmosphere of security and cohesiveness in his or her new surroundings. Entrances to the central city will feature several parks: VanBragt Park and Window on the Waterfront to the north, Kollen Park in the west, Centennial Park on the south, and the railroad station on the east. Each will be fashioned in an early 1900s decor of antique-style benches, street lamps and brick walks around green shrubbery and lawns. This dramatic change in scenery should stir a strong sense of arrival when entering the Eighth Street area.

The Riverview Advisory Group envisions three main quadrants in its 100-acre area.



"The vitality of Holland's downtown area is of utmost importance to the future of Hope."

It will include retail, office, restaurant, and light industrial activities.

The first is the central downtown area, handled primarily through "Main Street Holland".

A northeast quadrant will host major residential areas, partially on the Lake Macatawa Bay shoreline. Plans for a \$20 million senior housing and health care center are on the verge of confirmation, and construction is projected to begin this summer.

Two new parks are planned, using the precious resource of the waterfront. The already established Window on the Waterfront as well as a pond, walkways, plentiful parking, a mix of recreational facilities and gazebos will enhance residential and community interaction.

The third, a northwest quadrant, focuses on retail and office, with light industry and on-site parking also included. Optimally, the downtown merchants and this quadrant will merge, promoting a more extensive and prominent business district.

A two-way street system appeals to the Riverview Advisory Committee as "user-friendly." More boulevards and well designed and marked arteries leading to and from the city are a must.

All of the mentioned elements play important roles in the implementation of Riverview's "vision." Throughout its completion, closer ties between Hope College, the downtown, and the waterfront will remain a valuable goal. Each has much to offer the other. The Advisory Group is striving to lace aesthetic, industrial, business, merchant, and collegiate aspects of the community, achieving a stronger and more harmonic setting.

With time, areas surrounding Holland may well be inspired and motivated into similar development. Quality renovations are therefore extremely important in this exemplary project. High standards often require plentiful funding. As a completely private endeavor, the Riverview Development Group or Limited Partnership, is holding its own.

Funds stem from a limited partnership consisting of 35 units at \$100,000 each. Individuals or groups must be from Michigan, purchasing at least one to four units. Investments are not expected to generate significant cash flow and involve high risk.


A buyer's goal prioritizes the development and revitalization of the downtown area rather than revenue. The project's life line stems from the purchasing and development of local properties currently owned by HEDCOR, The Holland Economic Development Corporation.

Hope College owns one-and-a-half units in the Riverview Advisory Group. As approved by the trustees, the college invested \$150,000 as a limited partner.

The limited partnership is fortunate to have a general partner. The Regency I Corporation, owned by Edgar and Elsa Prince of Holland, contributed \$500,000 to the partnership's capital. (Edgar Prince is owner of Holland's Prince Corp.) Regency I Corp. will only be reimbursed for its expenses rather than receive fees or compensation for its efforts. This is certainly not a money-making undertaking.

Van Wylen and Wolterink have succeeded in raising over \$2 million in support from Riverview Limited Partnership investors who are pivotal to this private undertaking. Including Regency I's contribution, one-and-one-half million dollars has yet to be raised. Both men optimistically view this summer as a probable time to begin actual on-site development.

"Streetscape," "Main Street Holland," and the Riverview Advisory Limited Partnership all stem from a different but similar base. "Streetscape" dwells within "Main Street Holland" which receives funds from the city and individual merchants while advised by federal sources. The Riverview consortium engulfs and expands upon "Main Street Holland's" objectives, while exploring the city's total potential for urban development. Its progress depends upon private funding and self-motivation displayed through the likes of Van Wylen, Wolterink, and Prince.

Although fictional, the opening scenario is not unrealistic. "A day well spent within the downtown" is a phrase which will gain new meaning daily. The downtown is acquiring a distinctive flavor through organized activism and concern with the community. Combined with economic prosperity and opportune circumstance, Holland is surely on the path to the type of urban renewal which is sweeping the country. Attitudes are changing, and minds are opening, enabling such growth. Although time is the only true test, optimism and commitment have joined to form a powerful blizzard of downtown development. 



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Basketball a common international tongue

by Mary Taylor '89

This May, 14 Hope athletes discovered for themselves what the international language really is — basketball.

None of the 14 know enough Spanish to get around the country of Mexico, but stick them on a basketball court with a bunch of natives, put a ball in their hands, and they talk.

Players in the men's basketball program at Hope travelled south of the border for 12 days of working, teaching, and helping the less fortunate. Besides participating in a few games, the players presented basketball clinics and worked on a Reformed Church in America (RCA) mission building.

Basketball coach Glenn Van Wieren emphasized the value of the latter two actions.

"I think all the guys thought what they did was meaningful. The work, giving ourselves to others, and observing RCA missionaries in action in a culture which is completely different is much more than playing basketball," he said. "All dimensions made the trip meaningful."

The trip was financed by work projects undertaken by the team and players' own out-of-pocket money.

Van Wieren, who has been Hope's head coach since 1977, first put his players on the court in Puebla where Hope competed against the university teams of Las Americas Puebla and Autonama.

The natives were a bit restless on first seeing the Americans. "I think they were a little afraid of us at first because we're so big," reported junior Jay Courtright of Holland, Mich. "And white," added Michele Sterk, a sophomore member of the women's basketball team and daughter of RCA missionaries in Mexico. "They couldn't believe the white hair on Todd's (Marsman) legs."

But basketball is basketball, regardless of where it is played. The Hope team suffered three close losses, two against the University of Las Americas, 78-75 and 76-72, and one against the University of Autonama, 67-66.

Opposition was of a different sort many hours away in Tuxtla. There an open tournament, or abierto, was held in which Hope athletes were divided among five teams. Area players rounded out the



Hope coach Glenn Van Wieren instructs in dribbling technique.

numbers. Each team played five games.

On the court, communication was not a problem.

"Basketball is a universal language," claimed Mitchell. "Everyone knows what the object is."

Bruce VanderKolk, a junior from Hamilton, Mich., nodded in agreement.

"None of us knew enough Spanish to get us anywhere, but we could still play ball with the Mexicans," he said. "We have that common bond that brings everything together."

Sophomore Eric Elliott of Hudsonville, Mich., reacted very positively to the experience.

"It was a lot of fun and good competition," he said.

Greg Mitchell, a senior from Okemos, Mich., agreed.

"They respected our abilities. It was neat playing with them."

The seventh day the athletes turned their basketball focus outward. In Tuxtla, the team presented clinics for native Mexicans.

Children were taught basic ball handling skills by the players.

"They were pretty enthusiastic about learning," said Elliott.

Photos of Mexican kids on the laps and shoulders of Hope students prove this to be an understatement.

The basketball needs of older Mexicans were administered to as well. Coaches in Tuxtla learned basic strategy fundamentals, as much as translation would allow. And college players from the University of Tuxtla, amazed at the shooting abilities of the team from Holland, were treated to instruction in this aspect of the game.

After their stay in Tuxtla the team took a four hour bus trip into the mountain country of Chiapas to the city of San Cristobal las Casas. It is there that Hope College alumni Vern '64 and Carla '65 Sterk work with the Tzotzil Indians as RCA missionaries.

Basketball is the rage among Tzotzil tribes, though soccer is the major sport in the rest of Mexico. The Sterks have used basketball as a bridge in building relation-

ships with the Indians. Once again, basketball speaks.

For three years cross country teammates at Hope and four years basketball, cross country, and baseball teammates at Holland High, Vern Sterk and Van Wieren share the tribes' enthusiasm for the hoop sport.

So does Pablo Salazaar, commissioner of the sport for the state of Chiapas. Salazaar is a committed Christian lawyer who has volunteered his services to support the Sterks and the Indians in their struggle for independence.

Christian Indians of the Chamula tribe in San Cristobal are persecuted for their beliefs by other tribal members. When an Indian converts to Christianity, he basically severs all connections with witchcraft, his former animistic religion, and the highly revered tribal leader. For this reason, Christians are often driven and burned out of their homes. Together, Salazaar and the Sterks work for the rights and safety of these people.

In San Cristobal, the Hope athletes again presented clinics and played in and won an exhibition game organized by Salazaar. Then they were put to work.

The team spent three days working on the Tzotzil Bible Institute, an education building for future Christian ministers. Players helped to paint, roof, and lay a cement floor for the Indian Institute.

"The people were very grateful," reported Courtright. "We did what would have taken them weeks to do."

Maybe months because in Chiapas, natives still mix cement with a stick. Honest. Just ask Dan Klunder.

Tom Livingston, for one, was grateful for the chance to help.

"I think a big part of us being there was trying to give them a little bit of a boost. It's such a backwards country - its economic, social, and political systems are exploited," said the senior from Dowagiac, continued on page 9



The Hope players didn't just play basketball — they worked on the Tzotzil Bible Institute.



Youngsters especially appreciated the players who came from way up north.
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Mich. "You find out the things you take for granted and how much a difference you can make. No matter who you are, you can make a difference, and not everyone has that chance."

VanderKolk also expressed gratitude for the experience.

"I think we gained an appreciation for mission work in general and the hard work (RCA missionaries) do," he stated.

According to Van Wieren, natives, in turn, gained a different view of the American image.

"I think they saw a group of guys that are more than basketball players - they have other aims in their lives that are important, and they are willing to give of themselves and be helpful," he said.

"They look at (Americans) as fat cats. When we go down there and work in the dirt, put on basketball clinics, share basketball, and at the same time share the gospel, they see our lifestyle from a different perspective," said Van Wieren.

The Hope players as well gained a new understanding of their own lives.

"I appreciate everything I have that much more," Mitchell asserted. "The difference between what they work for and what we work for is like night and day."

Elliott echoed his words.

"We learned that pretty much we have everything and more than what we need," he said.

VanderKolk, too, recognized how lucky Americans are, especially after being sick in bed for 24 hours because of some micro-organism in the food or water. Nearly everyone in the group came down with the bug.

"I've gained a new appreciation for the States - to just be able to go to the tap and drink water," VanderKolk claimed.

In looking back upon the days in Chiapas, players have optimistic ideas about what they accomplished.

"I think we proved that even though we're from America, have a lot of money, and have everything we need, we can still communicate and be friends and get along well," said Elliott.

Two others added to Elliott's words.

"I would like to think that there are a lot more people playing basketball now than before we came over," voiced Livingston.

"Yeah," agreed Mitchell. "I just hope it carries over because we had a lot of opportunities to spread a good word. Even if just one person took something in, it was all worth it."

VanderKolk summed up the general opinion.

"I hope they saw us as upstanding people and Christian witnesses," he said. "I hope we've taught them basketball and most important of all, made friends."

Other players not previously mentioned who went on the trip include Mike Balkema, a sophomore from Kalamazoo, Mich.; Kurt Boeve, a junior from Zeeland, Mich.; Justin George, a junior from Schoolcraft, Mich.; Dan Klunder, a junior from Grand Rapids, Mich.; Todd Marsman, a 1988 graduate from Caledonia, Mich.; Dave Riley, a junior from Fremont, Mich.; Matt Strong, a 1988 graduate from Muskegon, Mich.; Tim Van Liere, a senior from Portage, Mich.; and Ron Winowiecki, a 1988 graduate from Cedar, Mich. Jim Eppink, a graduate of Grand Rapids Baptist College, joined the Hope players.

In addition to Van Wieren, the team was accompanied by John Van Iwaarden, professor of mathematics and the "voice of Hope basketball" on WHTC radio, and Mike Perkins, a senior from Zeeland, Mich., who serves as a student assistant.

As one of the Mexicans said in Spanish to the players when they left, "We can't speak each other's language and many times sign language doesn't even get anything across, but I look forward to being able to talk to all of you in heaven."

On a basketball court, no doubt.

Student wins honor for history research

David Kraska, a Hope College participant in the college's 1988 Washington Honors Semester, had his article on the 1944 battle for Saipan published in the June 1988 issue of *Marines*, the official magazine of the U.S. Marine Corps.

The article was written while Kraska was interning for Marine Corps Historian Bud Shaw '49. Several Hope students have interned under Shaw who was pleased that Kraska's interests and abilities coincided with the needs of the magazine.

Kraska is a senior history/political science major from Midland, Mich. He has been involved in research and writing projects for professors in both departments and has a special interest in military history.

The three-page article describes the dynamics of the battle for Saipan and notes its importance in the overall Pacific Campaign in World War II. ✎

Award recognizes support National honor

Hope College has been declared the winner for the best total development program among American undergraduate colleges and universities with more than 10,000 alumni.

The awards program, sponsored by the Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) and the USX Foundation, Inc., recognizes outstanding planning and management in the areas of fund-raising and public relations.

The award was presented during the organization's annual national conference in California. Mrs. Arvella Schuller, a member of the Board of Trustees accepted the award on behalf of the College.

Hope is one of only six institutions to receive the program's top Achievement in Mobilizing Support (AIMS) award. Another 22 institutions received recognition for accomplishments in specific or specialized programs.

Hope was the only Michigan college or university to be honored. There were 75 finalists from the 2,850 colleges, universities and independent schools who belong to the Council for the Advancement and Support of Education. CASE is the nation's largest education association in terms of institutional membership.

"The AIMS awards are meant to acknowledge the contributions that outstanding development programs make to both the institution and to society as a whole," said Gary Quehl, president of CASE. "These programs exemplify the very best in their fields and should serve as role models to other institutions."

The award presented to Hope College is for the fund-raising year that concluded June 30, 1987. A five-member panel reviewed each of the entries on their ability to effectively plan and implement successful advancement programs. Each applicant submitted development plans early in the year outlining their

programs. At the conclusion of the year a statement and evaluation of their results was also submitted.

The year for which Hope College is being honored coincides with the conclusion of the college's successful Campaign for Hope fund drive. This campaign garnered gifts and pledges totaling \$31.7 million against a goal of \$26 million.

Hope College also has a strong base of alumni support. Last year 45 percent of the college's alumni contributed to the Annual Alumni Fund compared to a national average of 31 percent support by alumni of private four-year colleges.

The Hope College Annual Alumni Fund drive involves several hundred alumni volunteers. The drive the past two years was led by the Rev. Stephen Norden '74 of Dublin, Ohio, who also served as president of the National Alumni Association.

This is the fifth time in 11 years that Hope College has received an award from CASE. The other awards (1977, 1979, 1983 and 1984) recognized outstanding alumni support.

The Hope College advancement program is headed by Robert N. DeYoung '56, vice president for college advancement. The fund raising division is directed by John F. Nordstrom, director of development, and the public relations area is headed by Thomas L. Renner '67, director of public relations.

"This award is a tribute to Hope, its many friends and to an outstanding professional staff," said DeYoung. "We have strived to integrate the fund-raising and public relations functions of the college which has resulted in a personalized constituency relations program. We strive to involve and inform our constituency in the enterprise we are involved in - a quality liberal arts education in a residential setting within the context of the Christian faith." ✎

New Jersey coming soon

A chance to share in the Hope College experience! We are once again sponsoring a plane trip from New Jersey. This is an opportunity for high school juniors and seniors to spend a few days experiencing Hope College. As a participant, you will have the chance to live in a dorm, attend classes, use the facilities, experience college cuisine and enjoy special activities. These trips are designed to give you the chance to explore Hope College, meet new people and have fun. Transportation, room, board and activities are all included in the cost.



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Friends honor memory of distinguished servant

Friends and former Hope College colleagues paid tribute to Dr. Calvin A. VanderWerf, eighth president of Hope College, during a memorial service Sunday, July 24, in Dimnent Memorial Chapel on the Hope campus.

Presided over by the Rev. William C. Hillegonds '49, the college chaplain during the VanderWerf administration and now the senior minister of the First Presbyterian Church in Ann Arbor, Mich., the service honored the memory of Dr. VanderWerf's life as a distinguished scholar, caring teacher, effective administrator, and compassionate human being. His wife, Rachel, and their six children travelled to Holland for the service.

"Death cannot take away our memories of Calvin VanderWerf," the Rev. Hillegonds noted, and so, four men who knew well of Dr. VanderWerf's achievements eulogized about all he meant to his family, Hope College, and higher education.

Robert DeYoung '56, dean of students during VanderWerf's presidency and currently the college's vice president for college advancement, recalled his former colleague's keen and inquisitive mind for scholarly endeavors while noting his uncommon compassion and spirited disposition toward Hope's students. "Cal knew more students' names than I did, and I was his dean of students," DeYoung said.

"Many of the fruits we harvest at Hope today are because of the work of Cal

"Many of the fruits we harvest at Hope today are because of the work of Cal VanderWerf"

VanderWerf," DeYoung added. Through the former president's efforts, DeYoung cited several major accomplishments during Dr. VanderWerf's tenure, such as the institution of a Phi Beta Kappa chapter at Hope, one of only seven in the state of Michigan; the construction of several academic and residential buildings — the DeWitt Student and Cultural Center, the Wichers addition to the Nykerk Hall of Music, the Peale Science Center, and Dykstra Hall; and the important and effective reorganization of the Board of Trustees.

"Even more significant than these things, though, was Cal's vision of what Hope College could be," he said.

One of Dr. VanderWerf's doctoral students at the University of Kansas and a former Hope College professor, Dr. Douglas Neckers '60, concurred with DeYoung when he added that Dr. VanderWerf helped Hope come to see itself in a different role in higher education. "During his presidency, Hope became an academic institution of a much more broadly reaching influence, and it was done almost singularly through his

devoted efforts and personal sacrifice. . . Few men I've known understood the university as well as Cal VanderWerf and even fewer have had the skill to put these finest of educational ideals into practice — in the classroom, in the laboratory, as a department chairmen, as a dean, and as a college president."

Ekdal J. Buys, a 1937 Hope College classmate with Dr. VanderWerf and the college's chairman of the Board of Trustees during his administration, recognized his good friend's driving spirit and love for his work, citing his extensive publication accomplishments and his stays at over 100 colleges and universities as a visiting professor.

Buys then noted one of Dr. VanderWerf's many eloquent quotes about Hope College, a quote that read: "Hope College tends to inspire in each student something finer than culture; something rarer than competence; something nobler than success."

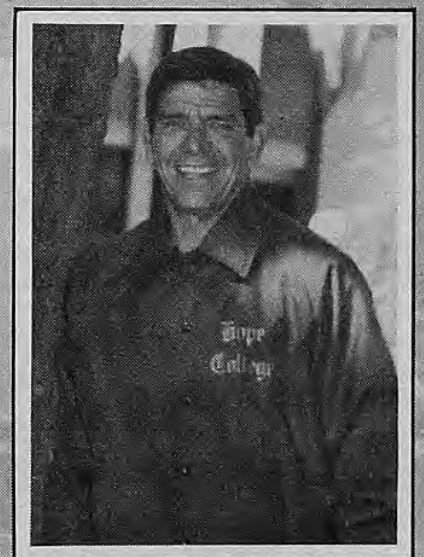
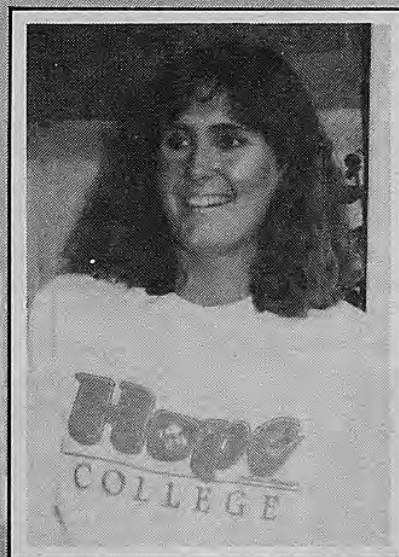
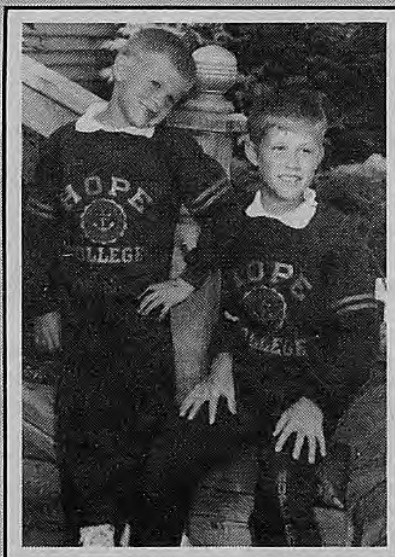
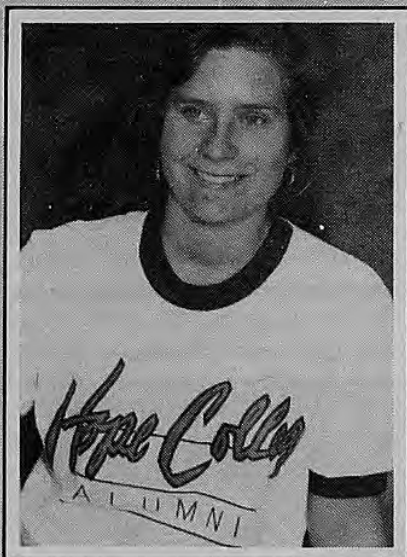
Recognized as an avid Hope College sports fan by the speakers, Dr. VanderWerf has another quote which also showed his deep understanding of the college. "An

atheist," he said, "is a person who, when Hope plays Calvin College, doesn't care who wins."

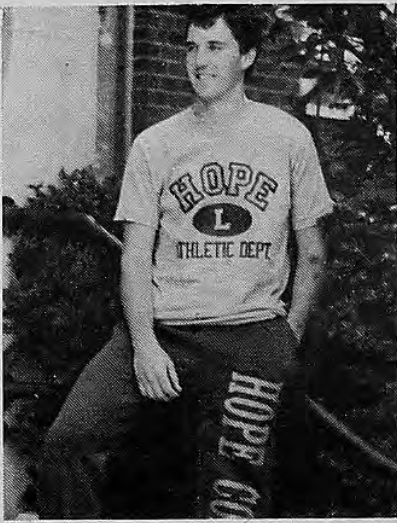
President John H. Jacobson concluded the service's tributes, observing that his predecessor's tenure was marked by the most turbulent era ever known in higher education. "In those days, college presidents often seemed to be mediators between rebellious youth and an apprehensive older generation. It was hard to satisfy either party and impossible to satisfy both. But some college presidents were able to do more than just deal with the day to day agenda. As we look back we see the real substance of Calvin VanderWerf's contributions to Hope College . . . It is clear that his achievements for Hope are truly worthy."

"Cal VanderWerf and I have something in common that is very precious; we're both members of the fellowship of presidents of Hope College," Dr. Jacobson added. "Some presidents served in times of war, some in times of civil unrest, and some in times of tranquility. But all of them have loved Hope College and have given generously of their enthusiasm. Gordon Van Wylen (Hope's president emeritus) and I will occasionally hold a sub-committee meeting here but the regular meetings of this fellowship are held in heaven and not at Hope. We know that Cal VanderWerf has now taken his seat at that table among friends." ✍

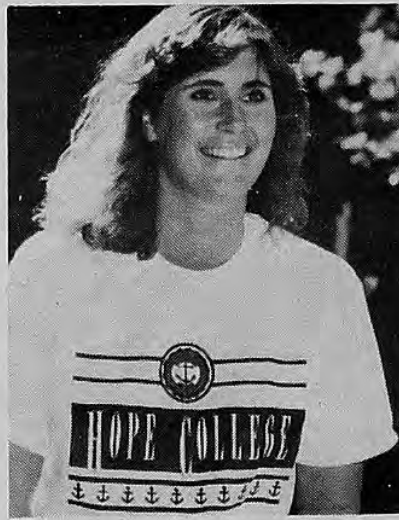
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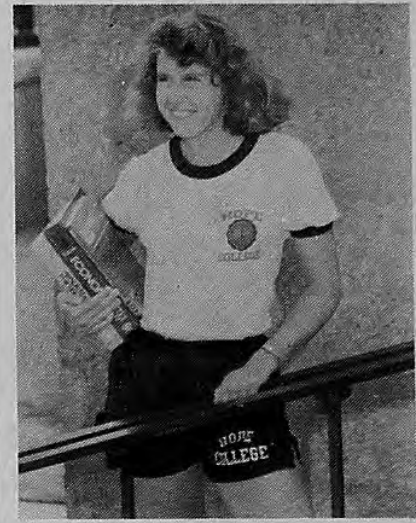
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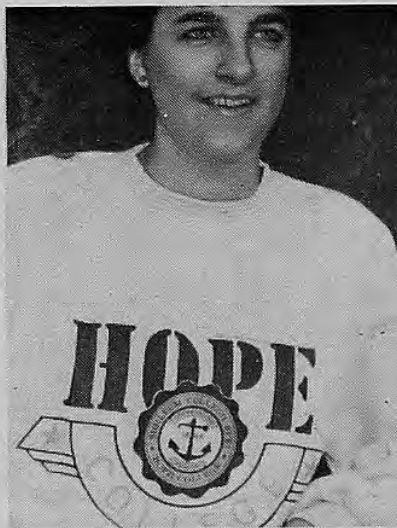
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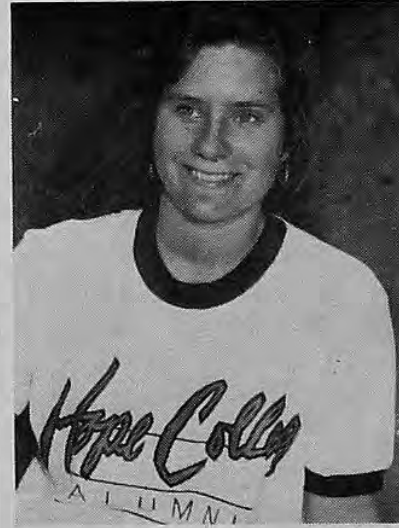
An original new design that has been very well received. 100% cotton T shirt available in three colors: white with navy/wine imprint; yellow with powder/navy imprint; orange with navy/silver imprint. Sizes: M, L, XL. \$10. Catalog #2-ANT.



A campus standard for years. White with navy trim. 50/50. Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$8. Catalog #3A-RGT. Basic Boxer shorts for comfort to go anywhere. 100% cotton. Color: navy. Sizes: XS, S, M, L, XL. \$8. Catalog #3B-BXS.



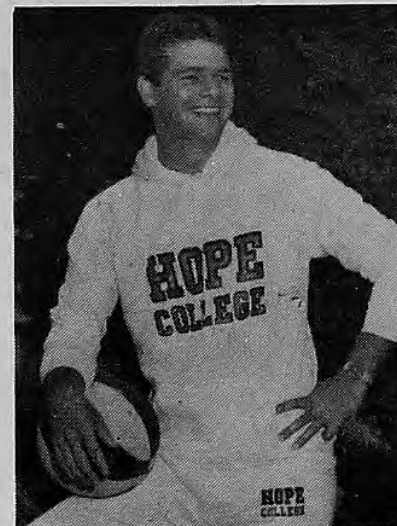
This inside out sweatshirt from GEAR has taken our campus by storm. The fleecy part is on the outside and is accented with a V-insert at the neck and sporty striped ribbed knit at the color and cuffs. Color: grey with navy/silver imprint. Sizes: M, L, XL. \$27.00. Catalog #4-INS.



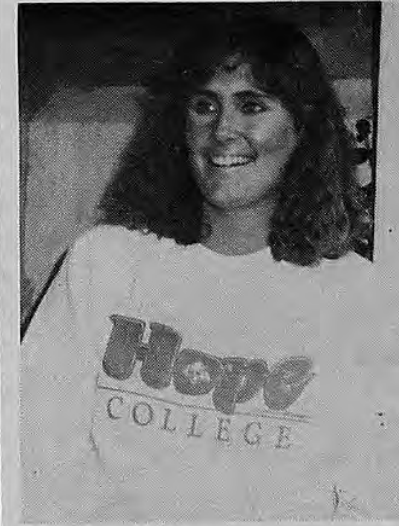
We just had to add an alumni T shirt to our selection after the sweatshirts were so well received. This sharp looking imprint is two color orange and blue with navy ribbing at the neck and sleeves. Color: white. Sizes: M, L, XL. \$10.00, Catalog #5-ALT



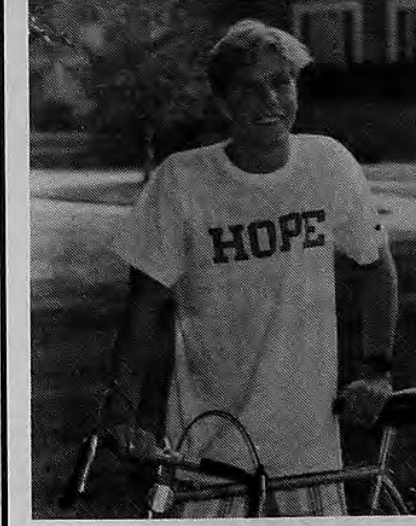
Popular style. Rugby: White collar, navy body, grey panel, white insert, navy letters. Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$25. Catalog #6A-RGB. Available also as a crew with grey/navy/white. Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$22. Catalog #6B-PCR.



Hooded sweatshirt. Colors: navy or grey. Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$20. Catalog #7A-HDS. Matching sweatpants. Colors: navy or grey. Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$15. Catalog #7B-RSP. Matching crew (not shown) Colors: navy or grey. Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$14. Catalog #7C-MCR.



The design on this soft fleecy crew is bright and refreshing. The Holland, Michigan on the left chest is an added touch that many have especially liked. Available in a T-shirt also. Color: white with orange and blue imprint. Crew; Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$19. Catalog #8A-TOC. T-shirt; Sizes: M, L, XL. \$8. Catalog #8B-TOT



Comfort, comfort, comfort. This 100% cotton t-shirt continues to be in demand because of its generous cut, extra length and quality fabric. Two color imprint. Colors: white, grey. Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$10.50. XXL. \$12.50 Catalog #9-BLK



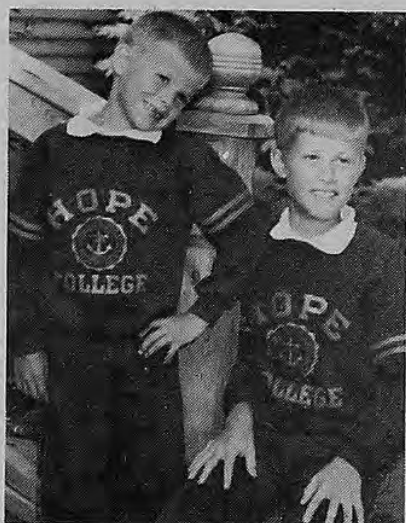
Delightful child's shirt with navy body, orange collar, yoke, chest and sleeve panels. Navy lettering. Sizes: 2T, 3T, 4T, 5. \$11. Catalog #10A-RGT. Sizes: 8, 10, 12, 14. \$15.50. Catalog #10B-RGY.



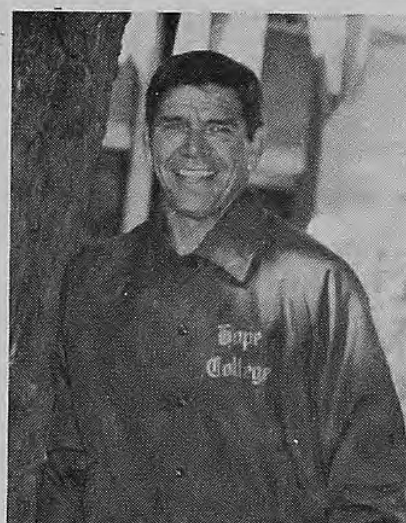
Our top-of-the-line crew made with heavy-weight 9 oz. fleece. Colors: white, grey, navy. Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$20. XXL. \$22. Catalog #11A-HWC. Popular hat with sewn-on block H. One size fits all. Navy cord: \$8. Catalog #11B-NAT. White twill: \$8. Catalog #11C-WHT.



Bundled for the Cold. Matching scarf and stocking cap. Two color design knitted in. Excellent quality. Colors: white, navy. Cap: \$8. Catalog #12A-KCP. Scarf: \$10. Catalog #12B-KSF. Set: \$16. Catalog #12C-KST.



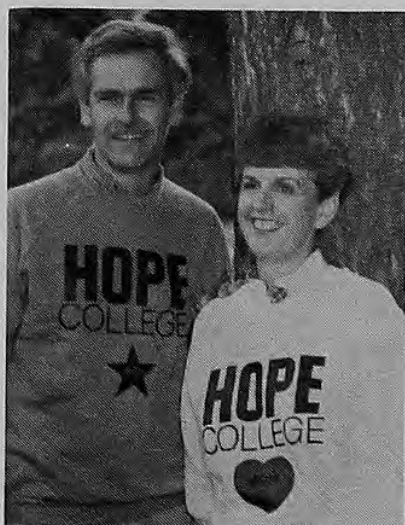
Delightful children's sweatsuit outfits. Colors: navy/orange with orange sewn-on stripes. Crew: Sizes: 18mo, 2T, 3T, 4T. \$8. #13A-TCR. Sizes: 6, 8, 10, 12, 14. \$11. #13A-YCR. Full zip hood: Sizes: 18mo, 2T, 3T, 4T. \$11. #13A-TZH. Down the leg imprint. Sizes: 6, 8, 10, 12, 14. \$15. #13B-YZH. Sweatpants: Sizes: 18mo, 2T, 3T, 4T. \$8. #13C-TSP. Sizes: 6, 8, 10, 12, 14. #13C-YSP.



Back by popular demand, Champion's hip length snap up jacket. It has elastisized wrists, with a drawstring around the bottom, and a flannel lining for that just right warmth. Color: navy/orange left chest imprint. Sizes: M, L, XL. \$25.00. XXL. \$27.50. Catalog #14-JKT.



Forever Alums! Our most popular new item. Crew sweatshirt with two color imprint including seal and Hope College Alumni across chest. Colors: white, grey, navy. Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$22. XXL. \$24. Catalog #15-ALC.



Hope College, apple pie and . . . A white crew sweatshirt, 50/50, black letters, red heart with—you guessed it! Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$18. Catalog #16A-MOM. The dad's version is a grey crew with navy letters, and a navy star with DAD. Sizes: S, M, L, XL. \$18. XXL. \$20. Catalog #16B-DAD.



Irresistible for that little person in your life! The imprint says "Somebody Loves Me" with hearts and bears. The navy stripes on the sleeves make it especially winsome. Color: white with navy stripe. Sizes: 2T, 4T, 6. \$7. Catalog #17-SBL.



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Fall Sports Schedules



FOOTBALL

Sat., Sept. 10 at DePauw, Ind., 1:30 p.m.
 Sat., Sept. 17 MICHIGAN TECH., 1:30 p.m.
 Sat., Sept. 24 at Denison, Ohio, 1:30 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 1 WABASH, IND., 1:30 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 8 at Albion, 3:30 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 15 *KALAMAZOO, 2 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 22 at Alma, 1:30 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 29 *ADRIAN, 1:30 p.m.
 Sat., Nov. 5 at Olivet, 1 p.m.
 *Homecoming *MIAA game
 (Home games played at the Holland Municipal Stadium)

SOCCER

Fri., Sept. 9 at Michigan State, 4 p.m.
 Sat., Sept. 10 OAKLAND UNIVERSITY, 2 p.m.
 Fri., Sept. 16 at Adrian, 3:30 p.m.
 Sat., Sept. 17 AQUINAS, 11 a.m.
 Tues., Sept. 20 at Calvin, 3:30 p.m.
 Sat., Sept. 24 *OLIVET, 1 p.m.
 Wed., Sept. 28 at Albion, 3:30 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 1 at Kalamazoo, 11 a.m.
 Tues., Oct. 4 *ALMA, 3:30 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 8 at Aquinas, 1 p.m.
 Wed., Oct. 12 *ADRIAN, 3:30 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 15 *CALVIN, 11 a.m.
 Tues., Oct. 18 at Olivet, 3:30 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 22 *ALBION, 1 p.m.
 Wed., Oct. 26 *KALAMAZOO, 3 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 29 at Alma, 1 p.m.
 *MIAA game
 (Home games played at Buys Athletic Fields, 11th Street and Fairbanks Avenue)

GOLF

Thurs., Sept. 15 at Albion (Duck Lake CC), 1 p.m.
 Mon., Sept. 19 at Kalamazoo (Kalamazoo CC), 1 p.m.
 Thurs., Sept. 22 at Hope (Grand Haven CC), 1 p.m.
 Wed., Sept. 28 at Olivet (Bedford Valley CC), 1 p.m.
 Mon., Oct. 3 at Calvin (Cascade CC), 1 p.m.
 Thurs., Oct. 6 at Alma (Pine River CC), 1 p.m.
 Tues., Oct. 11 at Adrian (Hawthorne CC), 1 p.m.
 *MIAA tournament

FIELD HOCKEY

Fri., Sept. 9 at Albion, 3:30 p.m.
 Sat., Sept. 10 at Sauk Valley Tournament
 Sat., Sept. 17 at Kalamazoo, 11 a.m.
 Tues., Sept. 20 *ALBION, 4 p.m.
 Sat., Sept. 24 *OLIVET/MARION, IND., 11 a.m.
 Wed., Sept. 28 *ALMA, 4 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 1 at Olivet, 1 p.m.
 Tues., Oct. 4 *ADRIAN, 4 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 8 at Calvin, noon
 Wed., Oct. 12 *KALAMAZOO, 4 p.m.
 Fri-Sat., Oct. 14-15 GLCA Inv. at Earlham, Ind.
 Fri-Sat., Oct. 14-15 Midwest Inv. at Wittenberg, Ohio
 Tues., Oct. 18 *CALVIN, 4 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 21 at Alma, 3:30 p.m.
 Fri., Oct. 28 at Adrian, 4 p.m.
 Fri-Sat., Nov. 4-5 NCAA Regionals
 *MIAA game
 (Home games played at Buys Athletic Fields, 11th Street and Fairbanks Avenue)

VOLLEYBALL

Thurs., Sept. 8 at Aquinas, 5 p.m.
 Sat., Sept. 10 Christian Invitational at Calvin, 10:30 a.m.
 Tues., Sept. 13 at St. Mary's, Ind., 6:30 p.m.
 Fri-Sat., Sept. 16-17 GLCA Invitational at DePauw, Ind.
 Wed., Sept. 21 *KALAMAZOO, 6 p.m.
 Fri-Sat., Sept. 23-24 at Ohio Northern Invitational
 Tues., Sept. 27 at Calvin, 6 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 1 at Alma, 1 p.m.
 Wed., Oct. 5 *OLIVET, 7 p.m.
 Fri., Oct. 7 at Adrian, 6 p.m.
 Mon., Oct. 10 *ALBION, 6 p.m.
 Fri., Oct. 14 at Kalamazoo, 6 p.m.
 Thurs., Oct. 20 at Albion, 6 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 22 *CALVIN, 1 p.m.
 Tues., Oct. 25 *ALMA, 6 p.m.
 Fri-Sat., Oct. 28-29 MIAA Invitational at Calvin
 Wed., Nov. 2 at Olivet, 6 p.m.
 Sat., Nov. 5 *ADRIAN, 1 p.m.
 Fri-Sat., Nov. 11-12 NCAA Regionals at Earlham, Ind., 11 a.m.
 Fri-Sat., Nov. 18-19 NCAA Nationals at Washington Univ., St. Louis, Mo., 11 a.m.
 *MIAA match
 (Home matches played at Dow Center, 13th Street and Columbia Avenue)

MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

Tues., Sept. 13 HOPE INVITATIONAL (*Olivet), 4 p.m.
 Sat., Sept. 17 GLCA Meet at Earlham, Ind., 10 a.m.
 Wed., Sept. 28 *KALAMAZOO, 4 p.m.
 Sat., Oct. 1 at Tri-State, Ind., Invitational (*Adrian), noon
 Sat., Oct. 8 at Albion, 11 a.m.
 Sat., Oct. 22 at Alma, 11 a.m.
 Wed., Oct. 26 at Calvin, 4 p.m.
 Sat., Nov. 5 MIAA Meet at Calvin, 11 a.m.
 Sat., Nov. 12 NCAA Regionals at Earlham, Ind., 11 a.m.
 Sat., Nov. 19 NCAA Nationals at Washington Univ., St. Louis, Mo., 11 a.m.
 *MIAA meet
 (Home meets run at Holland Country Club)

WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

Tues., Sept. 13 HOPE INVITATIONAL, 4 p.m.
 Sat., Sept. 17 GLCA Meet at Earlham, Ind., 10 a.m.
 Sat., Oct. 1 at Tri-State, Ind., Invitational, noon
 Sat., Oct. 8 at Albion, 11 a.m.
 Sat., Oct. 15 Michigan Intercollegiate Championship at Grand Valley (*Kalamazoo), 10:30 a.m.
 Sat., Oct. 22 at Alma, 11 a.m.
 Wed., Oct. 26 at Calvin, 4 p.m.
 Sat., Nov. 5 MIAA Meet at Calvin, 11 a.m.
 Sat., Nov. 12 NCAA Regionals at Earlham, Ind., 11 a.m.
 Sat., Nov. 19 NCAA Nationals at Washington Univ., St. Louis, Mo., 11 a.m.
 *MIAA meet
 (Home meets run at Holland Country Club)

Athletes honored for academics

The success during the 1987-88 school year of Hope College athletic teams carried over through recognition of student-athletes who combined outstanding performances on the field with accomplishment in the classroom.

Jennifer Straley '88, of Flushing, Mich., was awarded a prestigious NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship.

A four-time NCAA All-American in swimming and an honor graduate with a major in biology, Straley will receive a \$4,000 scholarship to pursue a masters degree in physical therapy at Boston University.

The postgraduate scholarship is the highest academic award presented an undergraduate by the NCAA.

Straley is the sixth Hope College student athlete to receive this award and the college's first woman to be honored. Other recipients were Kurt Brinks (football, 1983), Randall Cutler (baseball, 1985), Craig Groendyk (football, 1980), Scott Jecmen (football, 1985), and Ronald Posthuma (football, 1974).

Straley was a leading force in guiding the Hope women's swimming team to MIAA conference championships all four of her years. During her career she was an NCAA All-American in 16 events at the Division III championships. She was named an Academic All-American four straight years by the College Swimming Coaches Association of America.

Her teammates voted her Hope's most dedicated swimmer as a freshman and sophomore and the most inspirational swimmer as a junior and senior.

For the second year in-a-row versatile athlete **DeeAnn Knoll '88** of Grand Rapids, Mich., was elected a GTE Academic



Curtis Blankespoor



Tauna Jecmen



DeeAnn Knoll



Jennifer Straley

All-American in softball at first base.

This year Knoll was elected to the honor squad's nine-player first team. As a junior she was voted to the third team. The GTE Academic All-America program is administered by the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA). The program recognizes student-athletes who excel in both the classroom and on the athletic field.

Knoll, who last spring was chosen the college's outstanding graduating female scholar-athlete, majored in computer science and business administration.

At Hope she lettered in four sports (volleyball, basketball, softball and track). In her senior year she was a co-captain of the volleyball, basketball and softball teams.

Curtis Blankespoor '88 of Holland, Mich., was recognized as a first team at-large GTE Academic All-American while **Tauna Jecmen '89** of Jenison, Mich., was named to the at-large third team.

The award has a special meaning for Jecmen, whose brother Scott '85 was voted an Academic All-American in football during his senior year.

Blankespoor was recognized for his

performance in soccer while Jecmen was honored in track and cross country.

Blankespoor was the goalie on Hope's soccer team last fall. He allowed an average of only 1.13 goals per game as the Flying Dutchmen posted an 8-6-2 season record.

A biology and mathematics double major, he was presented the senior award for outstanding creativity in science. This fall he will be pursuing a Ph.D. degree in biology as a General Electric Foundation Fellow at Cornell University in Ithaca, N.Y.

Jecmen earned MIAA all-conference honors in cross country and track last year in leading the Flying Dutch to championships in both sports. She was the conference and NCAA Division III Great Lakes Region champion in cross country and was the winner of the 3,000 and 5,000 meter runs at the MIAA track championships.

Jecmen was the conference and NCAA Division III Great Lakes Region champion in cross country, and the winner of the 3,000 and 5,000 meter runs at the MIAA Field Day.

An English and Spanish double major, she was voted to the Phi Beta Kappa national honor society at the end of her junior year.

Very successful coach departs

William R. Vanderbilt '61, longtime physical education professor and coach at Hope College, has been appointed executive director of Freedom Village—Holland, a proposed retirement living center planned for Holland, Mich.

Holland's proposed Freedom Village will be patterned after highly successful retirement campuses in Florida, California, Arizona and Pennsylvania. In addition to personalized apartments, these centers offer numerous on-site tenant services, including several levels of medical care.

"I am pleased to have the opportunity to be involved in this venture. While this is a new occupational direction for me I find it very compatible with my interests in wellness," said Vanderbilt who will be on leave of absence during the 1988-89 school year.

Vanderbilt has had a long association with Hope College, beginning with his undergraduate days when he lettered for the Flying Dutchmen in basketball, track and baseball. As a senior he was presented the 1961 Otto van der Velde all-campus award for outstanding scholarship, leadership, service and athletic ability. His son, Bill, was named recipient of the same award this past spring.



William Vanderbilt

A member of the Hope faculty since 1967, his teaching responsibilities were in the area of sociology and psychology of physical activity and sport. He also served 13 years as chairperson of the department of physical education, recreation and athletics. Several major curricular changes were initiated under his leadership, including new programs in recreation, dance and physical therapy, sports administration, athletic training and health science. He also

played a major role in the implementation of Hope's innovative health awareness program for students.

Vanderbilt also coached Hope's very successful cross country program. Over a 17 year period, his men's teams won or shared 14 MIAA championships while compiling a 93-8 league dual meet record. He developed the women's cross country program in 1981. The Flying Dutch have won the last three MIAA titles and NCAA Great Lakes Regional championships. Last year the Flying Dutch finished ninth in the nation among Division III teams.

He is a past president of the NCAA Division III Cross Country Coaches Association and last fall was meet director when Hope College hosted the Division III national championships for men and women.

In 1986 he co-authored a textbook on basketball coaching techniques with retired teaching colleague Russell DeVette.

Vanderbilt received the masters degree from the University of Michigan and the Ph.D. from the University of Utah.

He and his wife, Patricia '62, have three children. Sandra '85 Bajema and Bill '88 are Hope graduates while Susan will be a freshman at Hope this fall.

Core curriculum key to liberal arts

by Dr. Arthur Jentz

The first question often asked a student by faculty members, family, and friends is, "What are you majoring in?" The suggestion is that a student's college education is defined by her or his major and all other courses are merely peripheral to the student's main academic task.

To the contrary, what defines the quality of an undergraduate's education is not his or her major, but the **core curriculum**.

While a student should have a major in which he or she pursues intensive study, research, and specialized discussions in seminars, it is not the major but the core which is of the greater educational importance.

Of course, the narrow way of saying that is that an undergraduate college is not a graduate or professional school; rather, it should educate its students in order that they may be successful in graduate or professional schools, as well as in the wider world of business and home, community and church, nation and world.

It is likely that every member of the faculty is eager to have students major in his or her department. This is understandable: a large number of majors is flattering to the faculty member, affords job security, and makes expansion of the department possible. But what quality of student is desirable as a major in any department?

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Of course we all appreciate the bright, capable, articulate student; but do we not also appreciate students of varied abilities who have in addition to their intelligence a developing awareness of our world and a curiosity about its civilizations, its politics, its riches in works of art, its religious aspirations, and its scientific inquiry, precision and progress?

The point here is that the quality of work in any one department benefits by the sort of educative experience that a student majoring in that department acquires and develops through active participation in core curriculum work in the other departments.

And a second point is related to this: high quality work accomplished in any major discipline requires intellectual participation and cooperative activity in a variety of disciplines. Can the humanities really pursue their interests creatively apart from the natural and social sciences? Can the natural sciences serve humankind apart from the humane development of sensibility afforded by the humanities and the arts? Can one be a good religionist apart from the study of literature, psychology, philosophy? Can one be a good historian apart from the study of economics, art history, foreign languages, and literature? The core curriculum aims to develop and enrich the intellectual quality of majors in every field.

Dr. Arthur Jentz '56 is Professor and Chair of the Department of Philosophy at Hope College. This paper was presented to the faculty conference at the start of the 1987-88 academic year.



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Issues on Religion and Life — 3 credits

NATURAL SCIENCE

Introductory Lab Science — 4 credits
Any additional science — 4 credits

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Economics or Political Science — 3 credits

Psychology, Sociology, or Communication — 3 credits

PERFORMING & FINE ARTS

Introductory course in art, music, or theatre — 3 credits

Studio or performance course(s) — 3 credits

RELIGION

Basic Studies — 3 credits
Upper Level — 3 credits

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Health Dynamics — 2 credits

It is important then to the student and for the quality of education at this college that the non-major student in each class obtain a stimulating and sound education in courses he or she is taking "to satisfy the core," in order that major programs as well as students' interests be well served.

Most students do not enter college with the aim of becoming professional scholars

and professors at colleges or universities. We faculty, however, have made that our work. To some extent, this creates a clash of interests: the faculty want to promote learning and the enthusiasm for learning; students want good grades (but not necessarily learning) and successful careers, generally outside the academic community. This situation poses a real challenge for teaching

the core curriculum and for relating in a helpful and encouraging way to students taking those required courses. Does it really matter, then, for students who think they want to be, say, business people, doctors, or lawyers to take core curriculum courses?

College students are, after all, *young*: emotionally, socially, and intellectually. Their present conceptions of their future careers may not be realistic in relation to their abilities, their temperaments, or the modes of life which actually characterize the career they have idealized. Their present thinking toward a career may be heavily influenced by parental urgings or the advice of other relatives or friends or by images suggested by television or movies.

Since the core curriculum spans the whole college curriculum, it serves the purpose of engaging students in a variety of educational experiences as a result of which students may attain a more realistic sense of their abilities and genuine inclinations, as well as providing them with new possibilities both as to their major field and concerning their future life work. Many of our students come from small towns with few cultural opportunities; many of them are children of parents who have not gone to college.

For all our students, the core curriculum provides a way of extending their horizons and affording them a broader sweep of intellectual interest and self-discovery.

Students need to raise for themselves the question: Just what is it, in terms of course studies, that would benefit me as a business person, a physician, a lawyer? It is utterly short-sighted to simply suppose that any one area or discipline at the undergraduate level is the only real way of preparing oneself for business, medicine, or the law. Thus the core curriculum is the attempt, academically, to open the eyes of students to a fuller sense of what it is to prepare oneself for a profession, a career, a life work.

What about changing one's career beyond college? What if a graduate discovers after six months or a year that he or she doesn't like being an accountant? Or that he or she hates medical school? Or that he or she can't stand how lawyers operate? The quality of education afforded by the core curriculum could then make possible a career change drawn from interests awakened in what earlier had been thought no more than "required courses". The graduate would be in a position to think back to some area of interest which could now become his main thrust toward a new future.

The core curriculum, says the Hope catalog, is primarily designed "to enable students to acquire a broad understanding . . . which will enlarge their comprehension of the world. . . help them in disciplining their mind, and assist them in developing a vital Christian philosophy." To speak this way is to speak in terms of personal growth quite apart from the topic of career development. "Personal growth" in relation to the core curriculum places emphasis on several elements:

•The core curriculum encourages respect for the ideas, the sensibilities, and the
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achievements of persons and peoples different from oneself, through the study of history, literature, the arts, and the history of philosophy.

- The core encourages honesty about and respect for what is precise in quantification and analysis in the sciences.

- The core encourages respect for language and communication between persons and among peoples.

- The core encourages the understanding of human behavior in persons, groups, and cultures.

- The core encourages right practices of health fitness and respect for human well being.

- The core encourages reverence toward God and responsiveness to the needs, cares, and troubles of other persons and peoples through studies in religion, in senior seminars, and—ideally—throughout the curriculum.

What is needful in this respect is Christian theological learning, reflection, and life application, done in a way sensitive to the diversity of students and with respect for their differing backgrounds, experiences, and orientation. The religion courses and the senior seminars are not instituted to intimidate or coerce but to acquaint all students with the Christian faith and life and to encourage them to a greater reverence and responsiveness toward life in God's universe.

It is no doubt odd to suggest 'caring' as fundamental to what the core curriculum is designed to promote and encourage. The kind of caring that I am speaking of here is not quite the usual meaning of caring as when we are said to care about persons or about causes: "Do you care about each other?" or "Do you not care about the plight of the homeless?" and so forth.

There is a sense of caring which signifies the *importance* of things, that there are things that *matter*. This caring is a kind of *reverence* toward what matters, toward that which is important. This caring is not merely emotional or sentimental, but it includes what is emotional in us while at the same time expressing our willing desire to think, to know, and to love that which is worth caring about.

I think that the most important feature of what the core curriculum is designed to do is to promote and encourage this sense of *caring*. We are more fully God's human creatures if we *care*:

- that people fought and died for causes in history;

- that Plato had a vision of Good beyond the Athenian marketplace;

- that right thinking and communicating are important;

- that works of art be loved and enjoyed;

- that living well is doing right;

- that human behavior is even more complex than the methods of analyzing it;

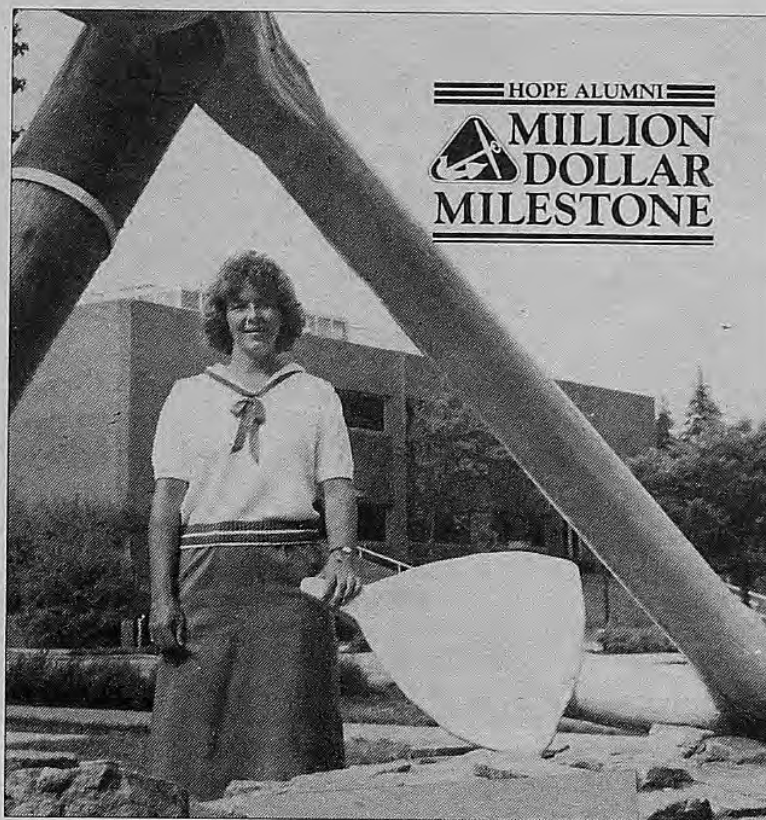
- that the universe is intelligible yet a mystery;

- that love and justice require each other for the fulfillment of both.

The encouragement of this *caring* is the fundamental goal of the core curriculum. The specific courses that comprise the present core are, of course, open to revision and other forms of change. But more than particular departments or departmental majors, the core curriculum defines the quality of what it means to acquire a degree from Hope College. ✱

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**"Alumni support—a mark of recognized excellence.
Our goal this year is 50% participation in
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Hope College represents what I feel is important both academically and philosophically. Our College is providing the margin of excellence that makes our students among the best trained minds in the nation.

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Sue Bruggink Edema '73, President
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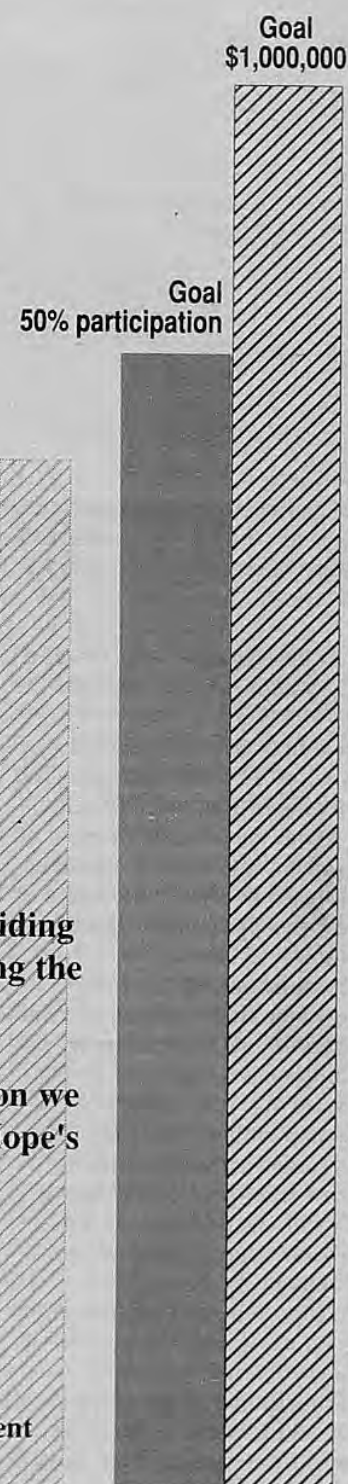
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Blue book exam . . . coming to your mailbox, soon!

Keeper of Hope history retires

by Sue Christian '88

The new home for the Hope College archives will soon have a new archivist as well. The keeper of Hope's reams of historical material for the past 18 years has been Andrew VanderZee, now retiring at age 77. Trying to keep up with his quick walk (he takes the stairs two at a time) and equally quick briefing on various Hope institutions (from the *Excelsior* journal to the *Anchor* paper), one can't help wondering how retirement will settle with this lively man.

VanderZee's past is a montage of service-related positions all colored by his love for literature. With an M.A. in American Literature, VanderZee taught English at various levels for nearly 26 years, including a spell at Northwestern College.

"I have to change what I do every six years," said VanderZee. "I couldn't see myself in that (teaching) for the rest of my days, so I went back for my library science degree."

After working at Herrick Public Library for a year in 1962, VanderZee came to Hope as a cataloguer in VanZoeren Library.

During 1969-1970, Dr. Elton J. Bruins was a key mover in organizing the nine-member Archives Council, approved as an official agency of the college by former Dean for Academic Affairs Morrette Rider in March 1970. It was in that year that VanderZee fell into the niche of part-time archivist that had been vacated since the leave of Miss Janet Mulder, archivist and alumni assistant from 1952-1968. VanderZee was ready for the change in hours and in duty.

"It's nice to have two careers—they're very related, as both involve English," he says.

VanderZee's first year was marked by perhaps his greatest archival "discovery" on campus. Snooping in the Graves Hall attic one day, he found the forgotten papers of presidents Dimmet and Wichers, treasured in some 150 boxes covered with layers of dust. The find was particularly significant because so little information was recorded on the two presidential eras. Another exciting "dig" came later, upon the uncovering of the papers of former president Irwin J. Lubbers in the basement vault of Van Raalte.

The nooks and crannies of campus overhauled, VanderZee settled into the detailed task of cataloguing and indexing materials. During his organizing of the archives, VanderZee has compiled two separate editions of the "Guide to the Archives of Hope College," the first in 1972, followed by an updated version in 1983.

"It is a very important tool to use," he commented, "and it's in a pretty good arrangement to find the important items."

An index to administrative papers, surveys, personal observations and histories, official publications, exhibits, ceremonies, and other chapters in Hope history, the Guide is the transposer of what looks to the layperson to be shelves of leather bound rarities.

VanderZee undertook another major project when he indexed, by author and



Andrew VanderZee saw the archives move to its fifth location during his tenure recently — the new Van Wylen Library.

subject, the articles of the *Anchor*, *The Alumni Magazine*, and *News From Hope*. Such organization allows for VanderZee to expediently answer the approximately 150 requests for information that pass his desk in a year's time. VanderZee keeps the hours the students do during September through May, and serves in an "on-call" capacity summers.

"You'd be surprised how many hours I was here this summer and last," said VanderZee. "There are so many requests for information."

This fall, for the first time ever, the archives of both Western Theological Seminary and the Holland Historical Trust will join those of Hope College in the airy, well-ventilated ground floor of the new VanWylen Library.

"The joint archives has been a 'dream' for Elton Bruins," remarked VanderZee. "He has worked since 1976 to have all three in one place."

VanderZee predicts that the archives will be a much frequented spot with the additions of the other archive collections.

"More people will use them, I think," he says, "they are more accessible now to more people."

Although each collection will be stored and indexed on computer together, each organization will maintain ownership of its respective collection. Similarly, any new materials added to the archives will be designated to one of the three collections. A hoped-for benefit of this care and attention to historical materials is the building up and "filling in" of the collections through donations now that a secure

and strong archives had been organized.

VanderZee is leaving just when it all seems to be coming together with the new location—15 times that of the previous archive room in VanZoeren Library, according to VanderZee—and added collections. After all, he saw the Hope archives through five different homes in his era, making the last move to Van Wylen Library on his own, cradling the precious books and memories over in his arms a few at a time. His successor is Larry Wagenaar, a 1987 graduate with an A.M. in history and

archival work who will assume the position on August 15.

Reflecting upon his work at Hope, VanderZee feels he contributed to the college during his 18 years. And he feels the work gave something to him in return, aside from an acquired hobby of collecting rare books.

"It's been an ideal situation to begin working part-time at age 61," he said. "I think my position as archivist is one of the nicest things that ever could have happened to me." ✍



Besides the archives, rare books are also housed in the new Van Wylen Library. Constant temperature and humidity for optimal book preservation is regulated by the library's control system.

Back to the earth



by Sue Christian '88

"I feel really lucky to be doing what I've wanted to do since I was nine years old," says Joan Donaldson, a 1975 grad living in Fennville, Mich. with her husband John (a 1976 Hope grad) and their two adopted sons from Columbia, Carlos and Matthew. "I read books about pioneers so I always wanted to do this. I mean, how many people get to live out those dreams?"

Joan Donaldson is nurturing her dreams, along with her family, on one of the handful of organic farms in the nation. Mainly growing blueberries for distributors in Milwaukee and Minneapolis and a jam company in Washington, their yearly crop is a precious commodity.

"There are very, very few organic blueberry farmers," Donaldson explains. "The demand is extremely high, and there is no way we can meet it."

Tilling the soil, planting the seeds by hand, developing natural insecticides, sprinkling fertilizer around each tree—all this is only a small part of Joan Donaldson's childhood dream, a dream she is daily realizing in their completely recycled, self-built home.

The alternative lifestyle she aspires to are founded on a firm belief in the strength of tradition, the necessity of nurturing people as well as the earth, and in a simplicity reminiscent of this country's pioneer days.

"The word nurturing is so perfect, because you are nurturing the trees, your kids, your own talents; it's all tied together. You feel united in what you're doing."

According to Donaldson, an alternative society does exist, you just have to go out and find it. But living as much as possible off the food they grow, sewing the family's

clothes on a foot-pumped trundle sewing machine, cooking every meal over a woodstove—this existence, though admired by many, is chosen by few.

"We might be the only ones left out of all the people homesteading back in the late 1970s," says Donaldson. "I like to think we weren't doing it just to say with the then popular mindset of getting back to the land; we were doing it as part of our morals and our whole ethic. That's why we're still here and working away at it all."

In this fast-food, fast-paced society, a home with no indoor plumbing, no carpeting, and no electricity—save for what is generated by solar panels—is nearly an archeological find. Maybe it is just 20th-century "quick-buck" values that obscure a higher set of ethics the Donaldsons have found through a "lower standard" (in today's sense) of living.

"The benefit of living alternatively is that it promotes a close marriage, a close family, because we work together a lot," says Donaldson. "I think we miss those values in a society which does not need wood to cook dinner, which does not need to milk the goat for supper. When I say, 'We need this kids', I mean it; we need it."

Resourcefulness is a critical trait to this family's lifestyle. They have found creativity to be the key to survival.

"You're always thinking of something a little bit different, figuring out a new way of using what you have to the best to pull through," she explains.

Donaldson credits her geology major at Hope with giving her a deeper appreciation of the environment.

"Our geology studies helped us go into organic farming and we wanted to live a little bit differently within the whole lifestyle of farming," says Donaldson, who

chose Hope because of its Christian atmosphere.

Named the 1987 Michigan Homemaker of the Year, Donaldson can be proud of her nurturing. She has discovered several unique ways of expressing that close-held value in her life, such as quilting, playing music, and supporting her local community. An avid quilter, one of Donaldson's traditional designs was recently part of a juried show selected from over 1,500 entries by the American Quilters Society.

She is also one of an elite group that has mastered the Irish button accordion—and more elite because she is one of the few female players. Music is primary to her and John, who plays the piano accordion and the fiddle, often to English Contra dances throughout Michigan.

"There is a real depth and richness to the folk arts that gives people a strong foundation for making it through life," says Donaldson, an Irish music fanatic. "There is a very famous quote by an all-Ireland champion that says 'Irish music is the only music that brings people to their senses, and I agree 100 percent!'"

Donaldson's varied activities all contribute to her life dream.

"I look at it all as tradition, as a very holistic way of living," she says. "It's part of ourselves to play music, and yet quilting is an artistic expression, too."

"My husband and I sometimes say to ourselves, 'Let's just go to some nice Amish community to live. We would fit in really well if we could just give up the music.' In some ways, that's very true. As far as our goals and values, they are extremely similar. At times, we just may have a little different method."

And these different methods include some practical necessities such as a tele-

phone, a family station wagon, and infrequent trips to the grocery store.

The lifestyle of this 20th century pioneer family nurtures hope in any person who has wanted to make the dreams of childhood come true. A model of conviction, an inspiration, an unusual exception—whatever the nomenclature, Joan and her family have somehow drawn the public eye; a strange phenomenon because their life is largely a quiet distance away from modern society.

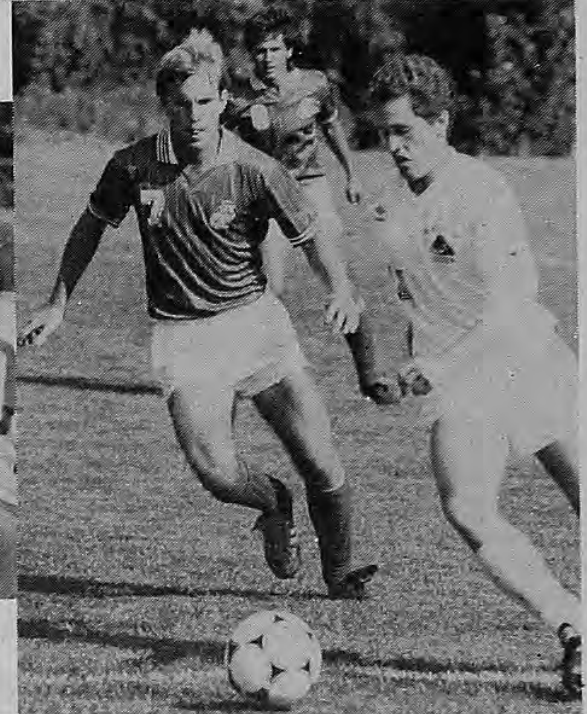
For this tight-knit foursome, it has taken hard work, high spirits, and a strong faith in God.

"I guess we feel called to be here and doing what we are doing. That I know," says Donaldson, "as far as being a witness to the rest of the world, I don't know; maybe the rest of the world wants that of me more than I have gone out seeking that role."

"Whatever you're doing, you're doing for the glory of God; do it well and appreciate yourself"—this is Joan Donaldson's guide. A clarity and wisdom of the earth and its people seem to somehow grow out of the once discarded pine boards of the home, out of the herbs sprouting in the corner window-bed, out of the shy laugh of four-year-old Carlos. Perhaps Donaldson's most valuable words to this progressive world came at this moment, when the pine, plants, and the voice of the child blended together, as if in confirmation of those guiding words. Leaving the small back pond, blooming purple irises, a hatch of busy, colorful chickens, passing the half-built barn—the June sun shines through the unfinished walls—one wonders if maybe they really were just in someone else's dream for a visit. ✧



The Great Come Back!



Homecoming '88 October 14-16



Fall in Holland, Michigan is beautiful and there are very few events with such tradition and meaning as Homecoming. It is a time to remember good times with close friends. Homecoming at Hope College is just such a time. Whatever you choose to do that weekend, a walk in the Pine Grove, yell for the Flying Dutchmen, drive to the beach or renew acquaintances, you will be glad you were a part of Homecoming '88!

Friday Evening, October 14

Class of 1983
5-Year Class Reunion Party
Class of 1978
10-Year Class Reunion Party

Saturday October 15

8:00 a.m. Run-Bike-Swim
10-11 a.m. Reunion Registration
11:00 a.m. Reunion Brunches
Classes and 1978 and 1983
11:00 a.m. H-Club Reception and Luncheon
11:00 a.m. Soccer against Calvin, Buys Field
1:00 p.m. Parade, Leaving campus for the Stadium
1:30 p.m. Pre-Game Show featuring the Rockford High School Marching Band
2:00 p.m. Football versus Kalamazoo

Sunday, October 16

11:00 a.m. Homecoming Worship Service,
Dimnent Chapel
This traditional Homecoming event is always a special time as alumni and friends gather to worship God. All alumni Chapel Choir members are encouraged to join with Choir at this service.
4:00 p.m. Faculty Chamber Music Recital,
Wichers Auditorium

For further information
call the Alumni Office,
616-394-7860

ALUMNI NEWS

alumni alert

by David Van Dyke '84
Alumni Director

With fall just around the corner, the Alumni Association is busy planning a full year of activities and events you will want to be a part of.

Our annual golf outing will be held Wednesday, Aug. 24, at the Holland Country Club. Shotgun starts will be at 8:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. Bob "Gaddy" Van Dis '48 of Kalamazoo, Mich., is the chairman. A great program, including Hope's NCAA champion swimmer Shelly Russell and the athletic department's George Kraft, is planned. It is not too late to join us. Call me for more information at 616-394-7860.

Homecoming is almost upon us and this is always a highlight of the year. The theme this year is "THE GREAT COMEBACK" — and we hope you will! This year's celebration will be Oct. 14, 15 and 16 and the list of activities includes a great football game with Kalamazoo College, soccer against Calvin College, a parade, H-Club luncheon, as well as many fraternity/sorority alumni events. On Sunday, Oct. 16, there will be an Alumni Worship Service at 11 a.m. in the Dimnent Chapel. One highlight of this traditional event is the Alumni Chapel Choir. All former Chapel Choir members who wish to join the choir are encouraged to do so. Watch your mail for more information.

In addition, the classes of 1983 and 1978 will be celebrating their five and 10 year reunions. Events are being planned for both Friday night and Saturday so members of those classes should watch their mail for further information.

All Dorian Alumni will want to make a special effort to attend Homecoming this year, because that sorority has been reactivated on Hope's campus. The 34 active members are enthusiastically looking forward to hosting their sisters at Homecoming. I know this will be a special time for all of you.

We also will have a great lineup of regional events this year so we hope to see you when Hope College comes to your area.

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class notes

News and information for class notes, marriages, births, advanced degrees, and deaths are compiled for news from Hope College by Eva D. Folkert. The deadline for the next issue is Sept. 23.

1920s

Adrian '27 and Frieda Boone '29 Buys were named residents of the month at Harbors Retirement Center and Health Facility in Saugatuck, Mich.
Harry Brower '28 was named Minister Emeritus and received a plaque of the Grace Reformed Church of Wyoming, Mich.
Joyce Klaasen '28 Crookshank is a retired teacher of deaf children and her new "career" is free lance photography.
Henrietta Oudemool '29 Rodstrom is still enjoying retirement after 17 years in Hendersonville, N.C.

1930s

Edward Van Eck '38 has been honored by Northwestern College through the establishment of the Van Eck Pre-Medical Scholarship. Edward was professor of biology at Northwestern from 1963-81. Before going to Northwestern he and his wife were missionaries in India for five years where he taught microbiology at the Christian Medical College in Vellore.

1940s

Eloise Boynton '41 Bosch and her husband, retired missionaries, spend October till April every year in Oman.
Henry Voogd '41 taught a class on archaeology and Old Testament at Second Reformed Church in Zeeland, Mich.
Allan Weenink '43, Associate for Stewardship of Lake Michigan Presbytery, has also been named interim minister of the First Presbyterian Church of Grand Haven, Mich.
Delbert '44 and Trudy Maassen '47 Vander Haar recently attended the first International Marriage Enrichment Conference in Atlanta which brought together 500 people from around the world.
Sylvio Scorza '45 has been elected vice president of the General Synod of the Reformed Church in America.
Robert Burton '49 received a distinguished service award from the Michigan Public Health Association at their 67th Annual Conference.
Warren Eickelbert '49, a professor of biology at Adelphi University, received a Distinguished Service Award from the university's Preprofessional Honorary Society. Warren was also selected for the faculty merit teaching award.

1950s

Joyce Baker '50 Brieve, a teacher in the community education program for senior citizens in Grand Haven, Mich., received the Outstanding Teacher Award in Community Education for 1988.
Evie Van Dam '50 Smallegan, who taught English at Zeeland (Mich.) High School for 23 years, was presented an Unsung Hero Award by the Zeeland Chamber of Commerce.
Robert Van Eenennaam '50 received a certificate of recognition from the American Dental Association for services to the people of Mexico and India in sharing with them the benefits of American dentistry.
John DuMez '52, chief of the Holland (Mich.) Fire Department, retired after 37 years of fighting fires.
Bruce Van Voorst '54 is the senior correspondent for diplomatic and national security affairs for *Time Magazine*.
Nevin Webster '54 was installed as pastor of Grace Reformed Church in Allen Park, Mich.
Paul Van Faasen '56 recently concluded his final term as a member of the Holland (Mich.) Board of Education after nearly eight years of service.
Richard Rhem '57, pastor of Christ Community Church in Spring Lake, Mich., was the Ascension Day speaker at First Reformed Church in Kalamazoo.
Robert Ritsema '57 led the Kalamazoo (Mich.) Junior Symphony Orchestra on a European tour this summer, including performances in the Netherlands and the International Music Week in Bristol. Bob, who is also professor of music and chairperson on the music department at Hope, has been director of the Kalamazoo Junior Symphony for 10 years.

1960s

Frank Kraai '60 is one of four regional finalists and 28 statewide for the honor of Michigan's 1988 Teacher of the Year.
Mary Cumerford '60 Van't Hof is the senior administrative assistant to the president at the corporate office and also serves as the word processing supervisor for Ottawa Savings Bank in Holland, Mich.
Norma Zimmerman '61 Boyink was named the Spring Lake (Mich.) High School "Teacher of the Month".
Douglas Johnson '62, a social worker with the Ottawa Intermediate School District, gave the commencement address to the graduating class of Frankfort High School from which he graduated in 1958.
Kenneth LaGrand '63, executive vice president and director at Gentex Corporation, is the chairman of the 1988 annual business and industry drive for the Holland (Mich.) Christian Schools.
David Van Dam '63 is senior pastor of First Presbyterian Church in New Castle, Ind.
Robert Jones '64 is the manager of employee relations for General Electric Plastics Manufacturing and Technology Divisions in Pittsfield, Mass.
Bud Edman '66 is an administrative consultant with Peterson and Company Consulting in Chicago, Ill.
James Kreunen '66 is a sales manager with C.M. Tilley Company and a deacon in the Presbyterian Church in St. Peters, Mo.
Timothy Dykstra '68 is the Dean of Academic Instruction at West Shore Community College in Scottville, Mich.
Vern Plagenhoef '68 was one of the official scorers at the major league baseball All-Star game in Cincinnati, Ohio, on July 12. Vern is president of the Baseball Writers' Association of America. He has covered the Detroit Tigers for Booth Newspapers for 15 years.
Susan Emerick '69 Bruggink is a half-time perception teacher at Paxinosa School in Easton, Pa.
Don Luidens '69 and two colleagues have received a grant from the Lilly Endowment, Inc., to research the question, "The Presbyterian Family Culture Study: The Baby Boom Generation."

1970s

Charles Van Engen '70 is assistant professor of theology of missions at the School of World Missions,

Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena, Calif.
Sarah Baas '71 is a registered representative with IDS Financial Services, Inc.
Ken Formsma '71 received an Excellence in Service Award from the Grand Haven (Mich.) Public Schools.
Gary Hayden '72 received the Philadelphia Writers Organization's 1988 Quill Award for service to the organization. Gary has moved to Dallas, Texas.
Janice Moore '72 Ouellette is on the secretarial staff of New Hudson Corporation in Milford, Mich.
Jack Puricelli '73 is senior employee relations manager for Steelcase, Inc., in Grand Rapids, Mich.
James McFarlin '74, music critic/radio writer for *The Detroit News*, gave the commencement address at Spring Lake (Mich.) High School from which he graduated in 1970.
Nancy Boersema '74 Siess is a legal secretary with the law firm of Maloof, Lebowitz & Bubb in Florham Park, N.J.
Steve VanderBroek '74 is serving his third year on the Holland (Mich.) City Council and continues to teach sixth grade in Holland.
David DeKok '75 traveled to Honduras in April for his newspaper, the Harrisburg (Pa.) *Patriot-News*, to investigate a roadbuilding project by the U.S. military. David recently was a guest lecturer on investigative reporting at Bucknell University in Lewisburg, Pa.
Laurie Lane '75 Gallant is an accountant with the Office of Budget Management in Newton, N.J.
Janice Wassenaar '75 Maatman is the director of Ministry With Community in Kalamazoo, Mich.
Laurie Adolph '75 Temple is a real estate salesperson with Hyde, Weber and Jaeger Realtors in Clinton, Ill.
Linda Guth '75 Trout is a third grade teacher at Wealthy Elementary School in East Grand Rapids, Mich. Linda was honored as the teacher of the week in May.
Marie French '75 VanderBroek is the vice president of finance at Holland (Mich.) Community Hospital.
Abbott Davis '76 is the new postmaster at Burnips (Mich.) Post Office.
Barbara Wrigley '76 Haggett has incorporated her own firm, Bradwood Resources, specializing in professional, managerial and organizational development. She is now developing a nationwide training and organization development consulting service.
Doug Peterson '76 is a home counselor with Bethany Christian Services in Grand Rapids, Mich.
Thomas Johnson '77 has been ordained in the Presbyterian Church in America and is serving as organizing pastor of Hope Presbyterian Church in Iowa City, Iowa.
Michael Lampen '77 is the controller for Michigan Disposal Service in Kalamazoo, Mich. Michael will manage the general accounting and corporate financial functions of the company.
Eric Smevog '77 recently returned from visiting Flinders Island in the Tasman Sea of Australia, and is presently working as an appliance repairman for the Maytag Corporation.

Class of 1978 10th Reunion Homecoming Weekend October 14-16

Terry Bosch '78 is the director of marketing for Krueger Inc., in Green Bay, Wis.
Larry Evans '78 is an orthodontist in Lawrenceville, Ga.
Daniel Gallant '78 is a fleet and after sell manager for BMW, Jeep, Eagle at Bell Imports Inc., in Newton, N.J.
Kathy Butts '78 Heyward is teaching English as a Second Language at Georgia Tech. University
Brad Lambrix '78, an attorney from Hart, Mich., is running for the office of Oceana County Probate Judge.
Laurie Van Ark '78 is the assistant to the vice president for academic affairs at Xavier University in Cincinnati, Ohio.
Mark Vredevelde '78, pastor of Trinity Reformed Church in Grand Haven, Mich., gave the baccalaureate address to the graduating class of Grand Haven Senior High School.
Ryan Adolph '79, director of customer service for Encyclopedia Britannica USA, was recently featured in *Know* magazine, an inter-company publication.
Michael Engelhardt '79 will become an assistant professor of political science at Luther College in Decorah, Iowa, this fall.
Ruth VanWylen '79 Jasperse is a missionary-in-training located in Fairfield, Calif. She and her husband

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are in training for the Home Missions in church development.

Richard Sharpe '79 bought his first home in November 1987! He is currently the owner of his own franchise distributorship for Mutual Biscuit Co., Inc., of New Rochelle, N.Y.

Jeff Tittle '79 is vice president/account supervisor for Johnson & Dean, Inc., a Grand Rapids, Mich., based advertising agency.

1980s

Chuck Aardema '80 is manager of compensation and benefits for Mead School and Office Products Division in Dayton, Ohio.

Lena Daniels '80 continues to sing for the outreach program of the National Portrait Gallery, a branch of the Smithsonian. In March, Lena sang at The Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts in the new opera by John Adams entitled "Nixon in China."

Lynn Devendorf '80 is the director of christian education at the First Presbyterian Church in Franklin, Pa.

Tim Griffin '80 is pursuing a fellowship in pediatric hematology oncology at the University of Texas Health Science Center in Dallas, Texas.

Tom Pierson '80, teacher and track coach for Cadillac (Mich.) schools, was a speaker at the local Christian Businessmen meeting.

Deborah Walker '80 is a missionary assigned to Bongolo Evangelical Hospital in Gabon.

Paul Bosch '81 is teaching biology and chemistry at Arcadia High School in Scottsdale, Ariz.

Bruce Cook '81 is a research chemist for Exxon Research and Development Laboratories in Baton Rouge, La.

Christopher Joseph '81 is a sales representative for Universal Forest Products, Inc., in Belchertown, Mass. **Martin Klein '81** is the director of product development for Capital Initiatives Corporation, a subsidiary of Capital Holding Corporation.

Yolanda Tienstra '81 is an assistant district attorney in Wood County, Wis. Yolanda was elected vice-president of the Board of Directors of Personal Development Center, Inc., in Marshfield, Wis.

CORRECTION Vikki Kobza '82 is the office administrator of Mika, Meyers, Beckett & Jones law firm in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Karen Hufford '82 LeBuhn is a marketing consultant for Washington Mutual Bank in Seattle, Wash.

Mark Northuis '82 has been named assistant professor in the physical education department at Hope College where he will also coach the cross country teams and men's track teams.

E. Joan Wilterdink '82 Roy is working on a Ph.D. in exercise physiology at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

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Evan Boote '83 is an assistant professor in the radiology department at the University of Missouri-Columbia.

Arthur Buys '83 works for Buys, Macgregor, MacNaughton, Greenwalt & Company in Grand Rapids, Mich., as an investment broker. He is president of the South Family YMCA in Wyoming, Mich.

Janet Swim '83 Davidson is on the psychology department faculty at Penn State University. **Jan Mountcastle '83 Joseph** is a recreation supervisor for the town of Burlington, Mass.

Larry Hall '83 began a residency in family practice at St. Joseph Hospital in Flint, Mich.

Melody Holm '83 is teaching English as a Second Language at Yokota Air Base in Japan with the Department of Defense Dependent Schools.

Lisa Paaue '83 Lichtenwalter is a systems control consultant for American General Life Company in Houston, Texas.

Kimberly Lubbers '83 is a territory manager in Georgia working for Federal Mogul Corporation.

Yukiko Miura '83 is a trainee sent by the Japanese government working for OECD in Paris, France.

Faith VerLee '83 Shives is employed at Burger King and continues to be active in local German clubs and organizations in Union Lake, Mich.

Thomas Sligh '83 is a corporate loan officer at NBD in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Bruce Ulberg '83 is a synod youth consultant to the Synod of Mid-America for the Reformed Church in America.

David Bhaskar '84 is doing a residency in obstetrics and gynecology at Columbus Hospital in Chicago, Ill.

Rhonda Hermance '84 is teaching music and theatre arts at Troy (N.Y.) High School and received tenure from the Troy School District.

Lori Flock '84 LaRue is serving a one-year podiatric surgical residency at Riverside Hospital in Wilmington, Del.

Bethany Cook '84 Pluymers is the divisional administrator for the Hematology/Oncology and Allergy/Immunology Divisions within the Department of Pediatrics, Washington University School of Medicine at St. Louis (Mo.) Children's Hospital.

Jon Toppen '84 is a lawyer in Paw Paw, Mich.

Kristine Veldheer '84 was ordained a minister of the word in the Reformed Church in America at Third Reformed Church in Holland, Mich., on July 10, 1988. She will begin working with the Hospital Chaplaincy Inc., of New York City in September.

Jerome Vite '84 is a commercial loan officer at Old Kent Bank of Holland, Mich.

Randy Warren '84 is a resident director at the University of Redlands, Calif. He also is an activities assistant, the alcohol consultant, a photographer for the University Relations Office, a driver for the school, and an advisor to the university's bicycle racing club. Randy is spending the summer in Europe and hopes to complete his teaching certificate requirements in the fall.

Kathryn DeWitt '85 will begin her doctoral studies

in Old Testament at Princeton Theological Seminary in September.

Michael Dudley '85 is pursuing a doctoral degree in socio-legal studies concentrating in European community business and industry at the University of Exeter in Great Britain.

Phillip Goff '85 is a dentist in Clearwater, Fla.

Linda Solak '85 Park is a senior at the University of Michigan School of Dentistry.

David Pluymers '85 is currently seeking employment opportunities with the Environmental Protection Agency but in the interim, he is serving as the director of the Reforestation Program for St. Louis (Mo.) Department of Parks, Forestry and Recreation.

Kent Sutton '85 has been designated a Naval Aviator and was presented with the "Wings of Gold" which marked culmination of 18 months of flight training.

Clark VerHulst '85 is a teacher and coach at Rogers High School in Wyoming, Mich.

Kevin Brinks '86 works for CoAmerica Bank in Detroit, Mich.

Maria Ellis '86 is an intake worker/receptionist with the Center for Women in Transition in Holland, Mich.

Edward Gierlach '86 is assistant vice president for Fossett Corporation, a trading/clearing firm, in Chicago, Ill.

Robin Johnson '86 is the coordinator of volunteer and rape victim support services at Dial Help in Houghton, Mich.

Steve Majerle '86 starts teaching math at Cheboygan High School this fall and will be the new varsity basketball coach.

Stacy Minger '86 was ordained a deacon in the West Michigan Conference of the United Methodist Church and will complete her final year at Asbury Theological Seminary this year.

Todd Recknagel '86, a 12-year veteran magician, performed at Mayfest at Muskegon (Mich.) Community College in May.

Karen Annis '87 is a research associate at the Upjohn Company in Kalamazoo, Mich. Karen is involved in a project on the AIDS virus through a federal grant.

John Eckert '87 is a test systems programmer in the DMS-10 division of Northern Telecom Inc., in Triangle Park, N.C. In August, John will enter a master's degree program in electrical and computer engineering at North Carolina State University.

Mark Fikse '87 is a certified public accountant in Downers Grove, Ill.

Daniel Foster '87 is in a master's degree program at the University of Michigan in urban planning.

Jennifer VanderHart '87 Foster is employed by Great Lakes Bancorp in Ann Arbor, Mich.

John Gardner '87 will begin doctoral studies in theology in August at the University of Iowa. He has a research assistantship which becomes a teaching position in his second year.

Jeffrey Meppelink '87 is running for the office of county commissioner from the 8th District in Michigan.

Karen Visscher '87 is a high school math teacher with the Peace Corps in Kenya.

Janilyn Brouwer '88 will be attending the Ohio State University School of Law this fall.

Kirk Brumels '88 will be working during the 1988 NFL season as an assistant athletic trainer for the New England Patriots.

John Havenaar '88 has a summer internship at Employer Retirement Services, a pension consulting firm in Grand Rapids, Mich. John will be attending Michigan State University pursuing a master's degree in statistics this fall.

Melissa McEvers '88 is a revenue agent with the Internal Revenue Service in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Todd Rose '88 is setting his sights on the 1992 Olympic games after finishing second in the nation among NCAA Division III athletes. He hopes to compete in the decathlon.

Claudia Ruf '88 was an emcee at the 24th annual LAUP Fiesta held in Holland, Mich.

Kirk Speaks '88 is working for the Peace Corps in the Fiji Islands.

Steven Spencer '88 has been awarded one of the nation's most prestigious honors in scientific study, a National Science Foundation Graduate Fellowship, which he will use to attend the University of Michigan in the fall where he will pursue a Ph.D. in social psychology.

Karen VanHoven '88 is teaching first graders at Zealand (Mich.) Public Schools.

Susan Walter '88 will be teaching English to potential businessmen at the Hube Automotive Industries Institute in the People's Republic of China until July 1989.

DeWayne Weaver '88 will be attending Ohio State University Veterinary School this fall.

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SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Deborah Doeden, Grand Rapids, Mich.
Daren K. Fairfield, Muskegon, Mich.
Paul E. Harper, Zanesville, Ohio
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Mark L. Kuhlmann, Midland, Mich.
Anne L. Mulder, Holland, Mich.
Lori M. Pederson, Rockford, Mich.
Steven J. Spencer, Gladwin, Mich.
Kimberly S. Walker, Grand Blanc, Mich.
Cheryl L. Zuidersma, Byron Center, Mich.
Julia R. Zuverink, Fremont, Mich.

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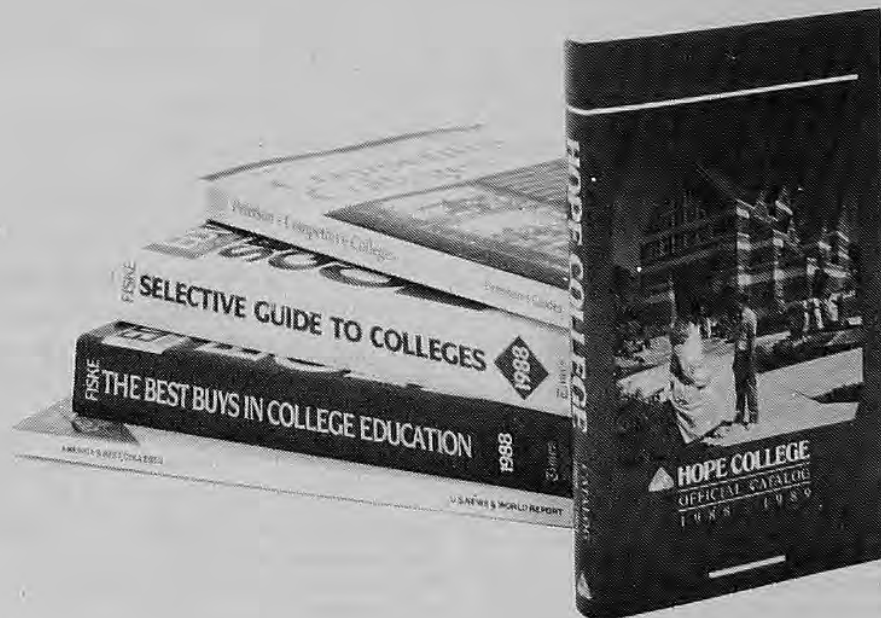
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marriages

Robert Appell '86 and Amy Schutter, Mar. 19, 1988, Vicksburg, Mich.
 Rick Cassidy and Charlotte Bredeweg '88, May 28, 1988, Wyoming, Mich.
 Michael Derrick '88 and Wendy Wyma, June 18, 1988, Grandville, Mich.
 Paul Fazio '85 and Jennifer Engbers '88, May 21, 1988, Holland, Mich.
 Daniel Foster '86 and Jennifer VanderHart '87, April 30, 1988, Chelsea, Mich.
 Steven Geurink '83 and Linda Bronkema, April 16, 1988, Zeeland, Mich.
 Jeff Jawor and Sherrie Huizinga '83, Dec. 5, 1987, Muskegon, Mich.
 Peter Knipp and Kathleen Klok '84, Mar. 19, 1988, Kalamazoo, Mich.
 Rick Kooiker '81 and Christine Fowler, May 7, 1988, Zeeland, Mich.
 Blair Lichtenwaller and Lisa Paaue '83, June 11, 1988, Holland, Mich.
 Greg Masteller and Gail Olbrich '80, Feb. 27, 1988, Grand Rapids, Mich.
 Michael Percy '86 and Meg Garver '88, May 21,

1988, Schenectady, N.Y.
 Todd Schaal and Teresa Fleming '84, Feb. 20, 1988, Grand Rapids, Mich.
 Mark Shives and Faith VerLee '81, Dec. 13, 1986, Pontiac, Mich.
 Gary Siess and Nancy Boersema '74, Jan. 30, 1988, Florham Park, N.J.
 Thang Trinh and Monica Haynes '87, May 28, 1988, Holland, Mich.
 Mark Tuneff and Anita Kay Gunneman '86, April 2, 1988, Holland, Mich.
 Gregory Ver Beek '83 and Sandra Gonzales, June 25, 1988, Oak Brook, Ill.
 Jerome Vite '84 and Julie Cook, Mar. 21, 1987, Hudsonville, Mich.

births

Paul '79 and Sue Sharp '80 Anker, Sarah Virginia, April 20, 1988, Northville, Mich.
 Gerard and Debra Baird '81 Deacon, Jeffrey Michael, Jan. 15, 1988, Philadelphia, Pa.
 Kris '81 and Barbara Tacoma '81 DePree, Claire Tacoma, May 30, 1988, Holland, Mich.
 Larry '78 and Bonnie Ferguson '79 Evans, Nicholas Brian, May 28, 1988, Lawrenceville, Ga.
 Cal '81 and Eva Dean '83 Folkert, Peter Dean, June 12, 1988, Holland, Mich.
 Kenneth '81 and Karen Nattress '81 Hornecker, Alex Mackenzie, May 9, 1988, Grand Rapids, Mich.
 Jim and Corla Poll '79 Kraker, Jamie Lee, May 11, 1988, Hamilton, Mich.
 Jim and Karen Hufford '82 LeBuhn, MacGregor Sinclair, Mar. 11, 1988, Seattle, Wash.
 Ray '75 and Susan Lubbers, David Christopher, June 16, 1988, Thousand Oaks, Calif.
 Anthony and Karen Gralow '75 Mashuta, Heather Gralow, Mar. 19, 1986.
 Tim and Heather Uecker '83 Remy, Cydney Faye, Mar. 23, 1988, Holland, Mich.
 Todd '78 and Sally Gilman '79 Richardson, Brian Craig, April 17, 1988, Wheaton, Ill.
 John and Sally Dimon '72 Rustin, Emily Hope, Nov. 24, 1987, West Haverstraw, N.Y.
 Richard '79 and Donna Sharpe, Benjamin Crawford, April 23, 1988, West Orange, N.J.
 Loren '80 and Marcia Schrotenboer, Michael Thomas and Andrew James, June 23, 1987, Holland, Mich.
 Bill and Nancy Moore '82 Souder, Scott Robert, March 5, 1988, Wheaton, Ill.
 Carl and Rhonda Driesenga '77 Staat, Bradley Carl, April 25, 1988, Holland, Mich.
 Mark '81 and Tricia Paarlberg '82 Stevens, Peter Paarlberg, April 2, 1988, Elmhurst, Ill.
 John '81 and Sandy Brown '81 Tousley, Megan Eilean, May 3, 1988, Kalamazoo, Mich.
 Steve '74 and Marie French '75 VanderBroek, Anne Marie, Aug. 20, 1987, Holland, Mich.
 David '84 and Susan Wildeboer '84 Van Noord, Lindsey Jeanette, Sept. 11, 1987, Grand Rapids, Mich.
 Robert '74 and Mary Bos '73 Van Voorst, Nicholas John, Feb. 19, 1988, Accord, N.Y.
 Eric '87 and Carla Black '88 Vissers, Leah Evelyn, June 9, 1988, Holland, Mich.
 Conley '77 and Patricia Zomermaand, Emily Grace, April 21, 1988, Kingston, N.Y.

advanced degrees

Ryan Adolph '79, M.B.A., Loyola University, May, 1988
 David Bhaskar '84, M.D., Loyola University Stritch School of Medicine, June 11, 1988
 Evan Boote '83, Ph.D., medical physics, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1988
 Paul Bosch '81, M.A., education, Arizona State University, May, 1988
 Kevin Brinks '86, M.B.A., Wake Forest University's Babcock Graduate School of Management, May 1988
 Patricia Callam '86, M.S., physical therapy, Duke University, May 8, 1988
 Joanne Blodde '81 Collier, M.S., clinical psychology, Eastern Michigan University, 1986
 Bruce Cook '81, Ph.D., chemistry, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, Nov. 1986
 Lynn Devondorf '80, M.A., educational ministries, Wheaton College, Dec. 1987
 Kathryn De Witt '85, M.Div., Crozer Theological Seminary, May, 1988
 Mary DeYoung '75, M.A., mathematical education, Western Michigan University, Dec. 1987
 Michael Dudley '85, J.D., spring 1988
 Phillip Golt '85, D.D.S., Northwestern University School of dentistry, 1988
 Larry Hall '83, M.D., Michigan State University, June 4, 1988
 Carla Johnson '84, M.A., English, San Diego State

University, May 29, 1988
 Thomas Johnson '77, Ph.D., University of Iowa, Dec. 1987
 Lori Flock '84 LaRue, D.P.M., Pennsylvania College of Podiatric Medicine, June 4, 1988
 Yukiko Miura '83, M.A., public administration, International Christian University, Tokyo, March 25, 1988
 Brian Mork '83, Ph.D., chemistry, University of Illinois, May 1988
 David Pluymers '85, M.S., technology and human affairs, Washington University School of Engineering, Jan. 1988
 Ann Rempe '85, J.D., Valparaiso University, May 22, 1988
 Mark Stevens '81, M.B.A., DePaul University, June 1988
 Robert Van Voorst '74, Ph.D., New Testament, Union Theological Seminary, May 1988
 Kristine Veldheer '83, M.Div., Western Theological Seminary, May 16, 1988

deaths

Bernard Arendshorst '30 died on June 1, 1988, at his home following an extended illness in Holland, Mich.
 He had also graduated from Harvard University's Business School. He was employed by Holland Rusk Company from 1932 to 1935. He taught accounting at Hope College from 1936 to 1939. During World War II, he served in the United States Navy and was discharged as captain at the end of the war. From 1946 until 1968, he was president and treasurer of Holland Cotton Products Company.
 Mr. Arendshorst is survived by his wife Geneva Vanden Brink '30 Arendshorst; a daughter-in-law; two granddaughters; one sister, Elizabeth Klaasen; one brother, William Arendshorst '38; several nieces and nephews.
Phyllis Athey '78 died May 23, 1988, in Holland, Mich.
 She attended Western Theological Seminary and received a master's of divinity degree from Garrett Theological Seminary. Miss Athey served a summer internship at Hardy Methodist Church near Howell, Mich., and was a counselor in the Evanston, Ill., area for several years.
 Miss Athey is survived by her parents, Bryan and Ruth Athey; one sister; aunts, uncles and cousins.
 Memorial gifts may be given to the Phyllis Athey Memorial Fund at Hope College.

Elsie Peets '27 Cook died on July 21, 1988, in Lima, Ohio, following a stroke.
 She taught school in Gary, Ind. and Ann Arbor, Mich. She initiated the first landscape design study course at the University of Michigan.
 Mr. Cook is survived by two daughters, Betty Springer and Joyce Burt; one son, James '61; five grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Word has been received of the death of **Fred Decker '21** on April 16, 1987.

J. Bernard DePree '29 died on May 10, 1988, in Seattle, Wash., following an extended illness.
 He was employed by the People's State Bank in Holland, Mich., where he became head of the loan department. He was later employed at the Holland Color and Chemical Company. Mr. DePree served as a city councilman and mayor of Holland prior to moving to Seattle in 1949. In Seattle he was the secretary-treasurer of the Milwaukee Railroad Hospital Association.
 Mr. DePree is survived by his wife, Gladys '30; three daughters, Judith, Jean and Joan; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.
 Memorial contributions may be given to Hope College.

Word has been received of the death of **Harry DeVries '26** on May 16, 1988, in Pontiac, Mich.

Dorothy Dick '26 died on May 29, 1988, in LaPorte, Ind.
 She earned her master's degree at the University of Michigan and also studied at Notre Dame, Western Reserve, Purdue, Indiana and the Sorbonne in Paris. Miss Dick was retired from the LaPorte Community Schools after teaching French, English and journalism for 40 years.
 Miss Dick was the granddaughter of two Michigan pioneers: John W. Dick of Saugatuck and George Harley Souter of Holland. She is survived by one sister, Hazel Marx; two nephews; four grand-nephews and several cousins.

Clarence Diephouse '29 died on March 12, 1988, in Grand Haven, Mich., following a short illness. He received a master's degree from the University

of Michigan. Mr. Diephouse was a principal for 13 years at Muskegon Christian High School; for 11 years at Grand Haven Christian School and at Whitehall Middle School until his retirement in 1972.
 Mr. Diephouse is survived by his wife, Thressa; a daughter, Reatha; two sons, Alvin and Edward; two sisters, Jeanette Meyers and Delia Dewind; one brother, Fred; grand children, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Geraldine Dykhuizen '27 died on May 26, 1988, in Holland, Mich.

She received a master's degree in English from Northwestern University. Miss Dykhuizen taught school in Cass City, St. Johns and Grand Haven, Mich. She was a member of the Second Century Club of Hope College.

Miss Dykhuizen is survived by a sister-in-law, Lucille Busker; a nephew; two nieces; a cousin; and great-nieces and nephews.

Memorial gifts may be given to the Hope College Dykhuizen Scholarship Fund.

Kevin Echart '75 died on June 17, 1988, from a car accident in New Haven, Conn. He was involved in a head-on collision with a pickup truck driven by a man who has been charged with manslaughter and drunken driving. This was the second tragedy for his family. His sister was killed in an automobile accident two years ago.

He had received two master's degree in medieval studies at Yale and was a doctoral candidate at the time of his death. Mr. Echart was also a part-time instructor at Wesleyan University in the College of Letters.

Mr. Echart is survived by his parents.
 Memorial gifts may be given to the Paul G. Fried International Education Fund at Hope College.

Clarence Heemstra '19 died on Sunday, May 1, 1988 in Grand Rapids, Mich.

He was active in sports when he attended Hope and was on the first basketball team that played against Calvin. Four generations of his family attended Hope.

Mr. Heemstra is survived by his wife, Marie Welling '18 Heemstra; one son, Raymond '48; one daughter, Irene Camp '49; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Jasper Kobes '31 died on June 13, 1988, in Staten Island, N.Y.

He was a chemist for the Richmond Gas Company for 15 years and later a salesman for Statwood Home Improvement for 25 years, retiring in 1973.

Mr. Kobes is survived by his wife, Katherine; one son, Wicher; two daughters, Joan Steers and Diane Lender; two brothers, John Kobes '25 and Frederick Kobes; and seven grandchildren.

Judith Tysse '60 Lubbers died of cancer on June 26, 1988, in Middletown, Conn.

She also attended Rutgers University and received a master's degree in reading from Southern State University. She was a primary school teacher in the Old Saybrook (Ct.) school system for 17 years and was also the social studies and science curriculum coordinator at Goodwin School. She was honored by her peers last year as "Teacher of the Year." She was active in coaching and assisting other teachers. Mrs. Lubbers was an organizing member of her community's drug and alcohol task force. She had also taught in West Virginia, New Jersey and Ohio.

Mrs. Lubbers is survived by her husband, Thomas '59; a son, T. Joshua; two daughters, Margaret Niemerski and Susan Lubbers; her parents, James '34 and Arloa Van Peursem '33 Tysse; two brothers, James Tysse '63 and G. John Tysse '68.

Edith Drescher '82 Pauli died of cancer on May 16, 1988, in Glennville, Ga.

During her lifetime she taught, dabbled in real estate, worked as a secretary and in advertising. She was also a housewife and helped her husband with his garage business.

Mrs. Pauli is survived by her husband, Paul.

Anna Teusink '30 died on April 30, 1988, in Glen Rock, N.J.

Mrs. Teusink is survived by two sons, J. Paul and Kenneth; four grandchildren; a sister; a brother; a sister-in-law; niece and nephew.

Word has been received of the death of **Robert Van Wart '58** on Jan. 31, 1988, in Thornwood, N.Y.

sympathy to

Herm Laug '29 on the death of his wife, Flora Mill Laug, on June 7, 1988, in Coopersville, Mich.

She was an ardent supporter of Hope College and was especially active in the Women's League for Hope College and Village Square where she chaired the international booth for many years.
 Mrs. Laug is survived by her husband; one sister, Sophia Graham; a sister-in-law; several nieces and nephews.

Memorial gifts may be given to the Herman and Flora Laug Scholarship at Hope College.

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